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ELECTION NOTICE.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The postponed annual meeting of the C. F. Simmons Medicine Company will be held at the office of the company, 2810 Clark av., on the 3d day of May, 1888, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 m. for the purpose of electing five directors of said company.

C. F. SIMMONS, President.

L. M. BEALS, Secretary.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A MEETING of the Board of Directors of the St. Louis & San Francisco Railway Company is hereby called to be held at the general office of the company in the Roe building, corner Broadway and Pine street, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., on Wednesday, May 9, 1888, at 11:30 o'clock a. m.

E. F. WINSLOW, President.

Attest:

T. W. LILLIE, Secretary.

WESTLICHE POST ASSOCIATION—Stockholders' meeting. In pursuance of the by-laws of the Westliche Post Association a meeting of the stockholders of said association will be held on Tuesday, the 24th day of April, 1888, at the office of said association to vote on the question whether the number of directors of this corporation shall be reduced to three (3) directors, and to transact such other business as may come before said meeting. Polls open from 9 o'clock a. m. to 12 o'clock m. By order of the Board of Directors.

OSCAR HOEFER, Secretary. EMIL PREETORIUS, President.

St. Louis, Mo., April 13, 1888.

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PROPOSALS.

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR, Memphis, Tenn., April 13, 1888.—Sealed proposals will be received at this office until noon on Tuesday, the 24th day of April, 1888, for furnishing supplies for the light-house establishment. The supplies needed consist of four lots, embracing respectively ship chandlery, oil-cans, tubular lanterns and parts of lanterns, lights and globes, and three French lights and one ribbon lens. Specifications, showing the kind and number of articles required in each lot, embracing descriptions of lights and globes, and three French lights and one ribbon lens, and all information may be obtained on application to this office. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, or to waive any defects. E. M. HUGHES, Lieutenant U. S. N., Light-house Inspector.

PROPOSALS.—Whereas, William P. Buckmaster by his certain deed of trust, dated March 24, 1886, and recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, in book 786, page 272, conveyed to the undersigned the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, to-wit:

A lot in block 5, subdivision sec. 16, city block 1059, beginning at the junction of the west line of Ware avenue with the north line of Lindell avenue, 401 feet 1½ inches west of Ware avenue; thence north along the west line of said lot number seven 96 feet and 10¾ inches to an alley, and being the northwest corner of said lot number seven; thence east along the south line of said alley 12 feet, more or less, to a point 371 feet and six inches west of the west line of Ware avenue; thence south 93 feet and 5 inches to the north line of Lindell avenue to a point 369 feet and 2 inches west of the west line of Ware avenue; thence west along the north line of Lindell avenue 61 feet and 11¾ inches to the place of beginning, bounded north by an alley, east by Ware avenue, south by Lindell avenue and west by Switzer, which said conveyance to the undersigned was made in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed of trust described; and whereas default has been made in the payment of the last interest note and the taxes of 1885, etc. Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holders of said notes and in pursuance of the conditions in said deed of trust the undersigned will, on

THURSDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF MAY, 1888,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the Courthouse, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., sell the above described real estate at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, for the purposes of satisfying said notes and the costs of executing this trust.

PHILLIP BUHG, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE—Whereas, Augustus Seymour and Adel, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated November 4, 1885, and recorded in the Recorder's office of the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, in Book 777, page 22, conveyed to the undersigned the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis, Mo., to-wit: Lot number twenty-two (22) in block 2 of Darby's addition and in city block 1828, containing a front of twenty-five feet (25 feet) on the north line of Hickory (formerly Guilford) street by a depth northwardly of one hundred and twenty-seven feet and six inches (127 feet 6 inches) to south line of lot No. 5 of said block, bounded south by Hickory street, north by lot 2, east by lot 21 and west by lot 23 of said block and addition, being the same lot acquired by said Augustus Seymour from Dennis Masterson and wife by deed dated August 18, 1885, and recorded in Book 906, page 253, of the City of St. Louis. Recorder's office, which said conveyances to the undersigned was made in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed of trust described; and whereas default has been made in the payment of the principal note; now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and in pursuance of the conditions in said deed of trust the undersigned will on

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AUGUSTGENZLE, Trustee.

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CUT ON HATS

FRANK BROTHERS Broadway and Washington Av.

We shall place on sale Thursday Morning all our stock of Union, Milan, Pathway, Wave and Excelsior Braid Hats and Bonnets.

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Sale Price, 25c

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Our Price, 48c Bunch

RIBBONS.

2,000 yards Pure All-Silk No. 9 and 12 Satin and Gros-Grain Ribbon, all colors,

6c Yard

Special.

We have had trimmed by our best trimmers, 100 HATS, with expensive ribbons, velvets, flowers and feathers; neat, nobby and stylish Hats, that would sell readily at $3.50 each.

Our Price, $1.98

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A fine English Milan Bonnet, faced with velvet, trimmed with Surah silk bows of ribbon and three French tips and ornament, and In Rough-and-Ready Straw ..... Price, $3.40 Ribbon ties ..... Price, $3.75

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165 pieces All-Wool 25-cent Dress Goods, newest designs, for this season, just in and to be offered.....At 15c per yard

At 20 Cents.

200 pieces All-Wool, Double-Fold, 36-inch Snowflake Plaids, Pin Checks, Cheviot Checks, etc.; never before sold under 40c; this lot.....At 20c per yard

At 25 Cents.

400 pieces splendid quality All-Wool 38-inch, latest styles, Plaid and Checked Cheviot Suitings; sold all over this season at 50c; will go in this sale.....At 25c per yard

250 pieces 41-inch extra quality, fine light-weight Plaid Scotch Suiting, in beautiful combinations of grey and brown; regular price, 65c; will be sold.....At 35c per yard

300 pieces 40-inch All-Wool Croise Angola Check Suitings, extra quality and really worth 75c; will be sold.....At 40c per yard

Ladies, this is no ordinary offering. The goods are all just as stated, and offered at half their usual value. Ladies looking for traveling outfits should see these goods, as many of them are of the best possible quality for traveling wear.

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The Owen Electric Belt & Appliance Co.
819 N. 4th St., Incorp. June 16, '87
ST. LOUIS, MO. Mention this Paper.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF U. S. LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR, 16th District, Memphis, Tenn., April 13, 1888.—Proposals will be received at this office until noon on Tuesday, the 24th day of April, 1888, for furnishing supplies for the light-house establishment. The supplies needed consist of four lots, embracing respectively ship chandlery, oil-cans, tubular lanterns and parts of lanterns, lights and globes, and three French lights and one ribbon lens. Specifications, showing the kind and number of articles required in each lot, embracing descriptions of lights and globes, and three French lights and one ribbon lens, and all information may be obtained on application to this office. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, or to waive any defects. E. M. HUGHES, Lieutenant U. S. N., Light-house Inspector.

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LATEST EDITION

FRALEY FAILS.

A Scene of Wild Excitement on the Exchange Floor This Morning.

A Call for Margins and the Havoc It Created.

Mr. Moses Fraley, Forced to the Wall, Claims He Has Lost $500,000 in the Last Few Months—How He Settled With D. P. Grier—His Holdings and Failures—The Way in Which He Settled To-Day—A Flurry and Its Effects.

When the brokers began to assemble on 'Change this morning it was evident to the most careless observer that something was in the wind. Groups and knots of traders gathered on the floor, messengers and telegraph boys hurried to and fro, and it was plainly apparent that something unusual had either occurred, or was anticipated. The cause of this unusual ferment was the reported failure of Moses Fraley, who has for years been one of the largest dealers on the floor. Before the market opened the rumors to this effect received confirmation, and it was known with certainty that Fraley had stated his inability to meet his contracts and was seeking to make a settlement. The effect of this news was electric. The brokers hurried to and fro, endeavoring to obtain information as to the amount for which Fraley was liable, and a scene of excitement, such as has seldom been witnessed on the floor of the Exchange, ensued. Investigation and inquiry developed the fact that Fraley, who was known to have been the heaviest short in the market, owed about 2,000,000 bushels of May corn in this city and 2,500,000 bushels in Chicago, and that he was short about 3,500,000 bushels of July wheat in Chicago and St. Louis. For some time past the market had been going against him, corn having risen from 44½c to 52½c, and wheat from 74½c to 84½c. There had been most exorbitant

CALLS FOR MARGINS,

and in this respect Fraley had been the principal sufferer, as the calls had seemed to be particularly directed against him. As an instance of the manner in which brokers had called for margins, the instance of a gentleman may be cited, who owed $3,000 on margins and was called upon to put up $14,000. The drains on Fraley having been extremely heavy, he determined to close out his deals as soon as he could, and shortly before the call appeared on the floor, announced his intention of clearing out, and bought all the wheat offered, in person or through his brokers, securing about one million bushels at 82¾c and 83c, thus closing all his transactions in this market. It was stated that he had pursued a similar course in Chicago, and he announced that he was out of the wheat deal in both places. In respect to corn, a settlement was not so easily made.

D. P. GRIER

was the holder of a large amount of corn, of which Fraley was short, the quantity being variously stated, Grier placing it at 400,000, Fraley at 500,000, and general rumor on the floor at a figure about midway between the two. Before going upon the floor Fraley called upon Grier, told him that he would be unable to meet his contracts and asked for a settlement. Grier replied that he was long in this market and short in Chicago, having made what is technically called a "spread." He stated that he was simply acting as an agent, and could do nothing without consulting his principals, but suggested that a settlement at 3¾ cents under the Chicago market would be eminently fair as regards Fraley, and would probably prove satisfactory to his principals. To this proposition Fraley declined to return any decided answer. The difference between the St. Louis and Chicago market has been a little less than 5 cents a bushel. When the call opened Edward Dutcher began to bid the market up. This aroused some indignation in certain quarters, as it was supposed that Grier was endeavoring to take Fraley at a disadvantage and squeeze him to death. To prevent this, many expressly excluded Grier in selling, and refused to trade with him. His statement, however, that he had no intention of taking any unfair advantage had a quieting effect, and when shortly after 11 o'clock

FRALEY ENTERED THE PIT,

announced that he had closed all his deals and would furnish a list of those to whom delivery should be made, the excitement subsided, and trading resumed its usual tenor. To a POST-DISPATCH reporter Fraley said: "I have settled all my trades, and will pay 100 cents on the dollar. No one will lose a cent by me. I saw the market going against me, was called upon very heavily for margins, and determined to draw out. I settled my wheat deals here and in Chicago, and have now settled my corn contracts. I came to an agreement with Grier, after some discussion and reflection, by which I paid him 52 cents for the 500,000 bushels I owed him, and am now entirely out. Grier settled some 700,000 bushels of corn during the day. I have nothing further to say, except to reiterate the statement that every dollar I owe will be paid."

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made the following statement: "I have not been acting for myself, but simply as an agent for others. When Mr. Fraley informed me that he could not meet his contracts, I told him that I would communicate with my principals, and suggested a settlement at 3¾ cents under the Chicago market. This he did not accept at the time it was made. I afterward closed out my Chicago corn, and was notified that I might offer Mr. Fraley a settlement at 52. This he has accepted, and the deal is closed. As to my endeavoring to run up the market there is no truth in it. Mr. Dutcher bought 1,000,000 bushels of corn for me at 51¾c, the price before the rumor of Fraley's break being 52¾c. Everything is settled, and no trouble has or will ensue."

When the Fraley flurry was first announced an effort was made to bid up the market, but the sale of 500,000 bushels by Fraley at 84c and 83¾c stopped the advance.

LOST $500,000.

"How much do you stand to lose on this advance?" Mr. Fraley was asked later.

"Oh, Lord!" he exclaimed; then, brushing his hand over his face and sighing, he continued: "They got me for a big amount. In the past few months I've lost half a million dollars."

Last July, just prior to Mr. Fraley's departure for Europe, where he spent the summer, he was known to be worth $750,000. This comes from a gentleman who was at one time interested with Mr. Fraley in business.

The course of the wheat and corn market, both here and in Chicago after the Fraley settlement was made, shows how the market had been held and advanced on the immense shortage owing by certain leading bear traders. Day after day these shorts have been driven in by the rapid and steady rise, and on some days the calls made upon them for margins. One of the last shorts to take his medicine was Moses Fraley. His purchases here in the corn market and Chicago amounted to 4,500,000 bushels corn and 3,500,000 bushels wheat, making a total of 8,000,000 bushels withdrawn just when that much support from the market. The result was a sharp break in values, wheat dropping 3c and corn 1c. Fraley recognized that the only way to cover his short the market would keep on advancing and this is why he determined to get into. He is supposed to be the last of the big bears to be forced to a settlement.

CHECKS THROWN OUT.

It was learned that a number of checks written by Mr. Fraley yesterday and presented by creditors to-day, were refused payment at the Commercial Bank, though even the approximate total amount of these it was impossible to ascertain. It was definitely stated by one firm that payment for a check of $1,800 had been refused them.

CREDITORS MEET.

A meeting of Mr. Fraley's creditors was called for 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Texas K. of P. Convention.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

FT. WORTH, Tex., April 17.—The trains this morning brought the last contingent of delegates to the session of the Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias of Texas, as well as a number of Past Chancellors who came to take the Grand Lodge degree. Altogether, there are some eight hundred Sir Knights in the city. The ceremonies took place at the Opera-house, beginning at 11 o'clock Sir Knight H. S. Prolles, Mayor of the city, delivered a brief address of welcome, followed by Sir Knight J. Morgan Wells, D.D., one of the most brilliant orators of the State, who delivered the formal address of welcome. The Opera-house was crowded, full 1,500 people being present.

The Devine Murder Trial.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SHELBYVILLE, Ill., April 17.—The trial of Wm. Devine for the killing of Andrew Akers, south of Gay's, last month, was commenced before Judge Phillips this morning. A veniire of 100 jurymen has been summoned for the case, which has awakened unusual interest.

SUMMER RESORTS.

SWEET SPRINGS HOTEL,

SALINE COUNTY, MO.,

Opens June 16; Cottages, May 1. Hotel has been thoroughly overhauled and nearly entirely refitted since last season.

J. W. HALL, Lessee.

A FRIGHTFUL SKIN DISEASE.

Sufferings Intense. Head nearly raw. Body covered with sores. Cured by the Cuticura Remedies.

Messrs. STEVENS & BRUNER, Monroe, N. C.

Dear Sirs—About two months ago, on your recommendation, I bought a bottle of CUTICURA RESOLVENT, one box CUTICURA SALVE, and one cake of CUTICURA SOAP, for my son, aged 13 years, who has been afflicted with eczema for a long time, and I am pleased to say that I believe the remedies have cured him. His sufferings were intense, his head being nearly raw, his ears being gone except the gristle, and his body was covered with sores. His condition was frightful to behold. The sores have now all disappeared, his skin is healthy, eyes bright, cheerful in disposition, and is working every day. My neighbors are witnesses to this remarkable cure, and the doubting ones are requested to call or write me, or any of my neighbors.

WINCHESTER P. O., UNION CO., N. C.

MONROE, N. C., October 29, 1887.

THE POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CO.:

Gentlemen—Mr. Wm. S. Stephenson of this county brought his son to town to-day to let us see him, and to show us what CUTICURA REMEDIES had done for him. This is the case referred to in our letter to you some time ago. To look at the boy now, one would suppose that there had never been anything the matter with him—seems to be in perfect health. We have written and herewith inclose what his father has to say about the matter—wrote it just as he dictated.

We are selling quite a quantity of CUTICURA REMEDIES and hear nothing but praises for them. We regard the CUTICURA REMEDIES the best in the market, and shall do all we can to promote their sale. Yours truly,

STEVENS & BRUNER,
Druggists and Pharmacists.

CUTICURA, the great skin cure, and CUTICURA SOAP prepared from it, externally, and CUTICURA RESOLVENT, the new blood purifier, internally, are a positive cure for every form of skin and blood disease, from pimples to scrofula.

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PIMPLES, black-heads, red, rough, chapped and oily skin prevented by CUTICURA SOAP.

WEAK, PAINFUL BACKS,

Kidney and Uterine Pains and Weaknesses, relieved in one minute by the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster, the first and only pain-killing plaster. New, instantaneous, infallible. 25 cents.

THE STALWART SLEEPS.

ROSCOE CONKLING SUCCUMBS IN HIS BRAVE BATTLE FOR LIFE.

Death of the Eminent Statesman Early This Morning—The Faithful Wife and Daughter With Him to the Last—Scenes at the Deathbed—The Funeral Arrangements—Gov. Hill's Tribute—Sketch of Mr. Conkling's Career—His Wonderful Memory—The Famous Speech Nominating Grant in the Chicago Convention.

NEW YORK, April 18.—Roscoe Conkling, the great Stalwart, all his stalwartness, physical and mental, gone, passed peacefully away this morning. The death occurred at 1:50 a. m. All afternoon the doctors had given up hope, and sat silently by watching for the end. At 11 o'clock p. m. he was considered gone, but the light flickered for three hours longer. At his bedside Mrs. Conkling and her daughter were weeping and watching for the final agony. It came in a sudden pallor deepening over the shrunken features, in a few short gasps, a quiver of the frame, and then the seal of eternal repose fell upon one of the most tempestuous careers in American political history. Besides the sobbing wife and daughter, the final scene was witnessed by the ex-Senator's nephews, Judge Alfred C. Coxe and Alderman Conkling, and his brother, Col. Frederick A. Conkling.

THE DEATH-BED.

Mrs. Conkling and Mrs. Oakman were kneeling at the bedside of Mr. Conkling when he died. Mrs. Conkling had her hand clasped in his. Mrs. Conkling left the room when the face of the dead Senator was covered, and went into her own room and fell exhausted on a lounge. At 4 o'clock the undertaker called at the house with two assistants. They washed and laid out the body on a cooling-board, in which condition they said it would remain until 8 a. m., when they would return and embalm the remains. After this process it will be dressed and placed in a coffin.

Mr. Bevins was asked the condition of the body of the Senator, and he said: "I have frequently seen Mr. Conkling in life, and when I looked on him he seemed to be quite natural. I cannot understand how he could have lost the amount of flesh that has been reported. The body must weigh about two hundred pounds."

THE FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

Mr. S. L. M. Barlow, after consultation with Mr. Conkling's relatives and friends this morning, announced to the members of the press that funeral services will be held over the dead Senator's remains on Friday morning at 10 o'clock in Trinity Chapel, West Twenty-fifth street. The Rev. Morgan L. Dix will officiate, assisted by other clergymen. On Friday afternoon the remains will be taken on a special train to Utica, N. Y., where funeral services will also be held in Mr. Conkling's late residence on Rutger street, previous to interment. Later it was decided that the funeral services in Utica will be held in Calvary Chapel on Saturday afternoon, instead of in Mr. Conkling's late residence in that city. The pall-bearers selected are Judge Shipman, Abram S. Hewitt, S. L. M. Barlow, Clarence A. Seward, Manton Marble, Senator John C. Jones, Senator Don Cameron, Wm. J. Wallace, Walter S. Church and Isaac H. Bailey. This morning the body was embalmed by Undertaker Nevins, and placed in a casket, which is a duplicate of that in which Senator Conkling's brother-in-law, Gov. Horatio Seymour, was buried.

The News in Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 18.—The death of Mr. Conkling was little known in Baltimore until after the appearance of the morning papers conveying the intelligence. Since the beginning of his illness a general interest was manifested and from morning until night the newspaper bulletins were watched by all who passed. Yesterday it was hoped that a favorable turn had taken place, and there was a general feeling of relief. That feeling to-day has changed to poignant regret. Mr. Conkling was regarded here as a man who would be met by long views, and without regard to political party affiliation was admired for his bold and honest actions as well as for his superior mental accomplishments.

Gov. Hill's Estimate of Conkling.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 18.—Gov. Hill, commenting on the death of ex-Senator Conkling, said: "The death of such a man as Mr. Conkling is a loss to the country at large, and especially to the State he tried faithfully to serve. His career as a statesman has been an unusually clear and honest one, and the party to which he belonged was the only one that failed to do him honor. The people in general must mourn the loss of such a man and statesman."

The house in which Mr. Conkling was born still stands in this city on Madison avenue. Mr. Conkling's last visit to the city of his birth was on the occasion of the late Daniel Manning's funeral, on which occasion he was one of the pall-bearers.

CONKLING'S WONDERFUL MEMORY.

Reciting Pages of Poetry—The Famous Grant Nominating Speech.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18.—The papers here to-day publish interesting reminiscences of Roscoe Conkling. Speaking of his wonderful memory, a writer in one of the local papers says: "He could repeat many verses from memory, not fragmentary lines or brief stanzas, but whole epics, page by page. The odes of Horace in the original were as familiar to him as the Psalm of Life; he could recite the first book of Homer, Bryant's translation (which he considered the best), almost without an error, and a portion of the third book, which he frequently quoted from and said reminded him of the tramp of a marching army. His favorite poems were "Lalla Rookh" and "The Lady of the Lake." He almost invariably carried a book of poems in his pocket and read from it during the debates in the Senate. His reading was varied and extensive. Although not a religious man he was deeply interested in theological topics and read every new work of importance.

"I remember once calling at his room and finding him lying on a lounge with a wet cloth over his eyes, for he had a good deal of trouble with them, listening to the reading of Renan's 'Life of Jesus,' by his private secretary. The reading ceased when I entered, and Mr. Conkling began to talk. He liked to soliloquize, and upon this occasion, as upon many others, he spoke on religion as eloquently as if he had been addressing an audience of thousands of people instead of only two hearers, his private secretary and myself. He was a believer in the orthodox faith, and I think was a member of the Episcopal Church, but he had a theory that most of the teachings of Jesus were drawn from the Oriental mind. The Sermon on the Mount, he often said, was a codification of the teachings of Confucius.

THE FAMOUS CHICAGO SPEECH.

"Mr. Conkling never revised reports of the speeches he delivered in the Senate, as most members of that body do. He held that the *Congressional Record* should be an actual transcript of what was said and done in the Chamber, and insisted that his remarks should always appear exactly as he had uttered them. But at the convention of 1880 he departed from his rule, and prepared for publication a speech which differed in many essential respects from that which he delivered presenting Gen. Grant's name to the Convention. One of the speeches was intended to go down to history as an ideal of oratory, and the other was meant to influence votes in the convention. But his plan miscarried and it made him very angry. A few days before the convention he sent for me and said that he had been selected to present the name of Gen. Grant. Contrary to his usual custom he had written his speech, and desired it to appear correctly in the newspapers without being subjected to the ordinary mistakes that must occur in transmission by telegraph. To accomplish this he desired my assistance. I took the manuscript, had it put in type and furnished him proofs for correction. Several hundred slips were then printed and placed in the hands of the Associated Press to be furnished to the newspapers when the speech should be delivered. But it was not the same speech, as I have said. The introductory couplet,

If you ask me where he hails from, my sole reply shall be,
That he came from Appomattox, and the famous apple tree,

was not the original as prepared for publication, nor was there any reference to the other candidates, or to Blaine's private telegraph wire. Without the knowledge of Mr. Conkling the Associated Press stenographers sat with the proof-slips of the original address before them and corrected it as he spoke, the changes being telegraphed to all the newspapers. In the morning when he saw the speech that he delivered instead of the one he wrote for the newspapers he was very indignant, and, sending for me, raised a terrible row about it."

The Dead Statesman.

Roscoe Conkling was born in Albany, N. Y., on October 30, 1829, being, therefore, over 58 years of age at the time of his death. He was the son of Alfred Conkling, himself a distinguished lawyer, who was member of Congress, United States Judge for the Northern District of New York, Minister to Mexico from 1852 to 1856, and who died in 1874. Roscoe Conkling graduated from an Albany academy in his 17th year, thence removing to Utica, where he studied law. A few days after his admission to the bar, and when but 21 years of age, he was appointed District Attorney of Oneida County. In 1858, when he was 29, he was elected Mayor of Utica, and was in the same year elected to the Thirty-sixth Congress. While, he had married a sister of Horatio Seymour, his wife surviving the dead statesman, and came to the front as one of the most prominent lawyers of Central New York. In 1865, having served almost continuously in the House since his election to that body, he was sent to the United States Senate, where he remained until the close of his political life in 1881. Conkling won an enviable reputation during his long term as Senator and Congressman, and was a poor man when he abandoned politics. In 1880, when the stalwart element in 1880 rallied the famous 306 to Grant's support, and it was the bitterness in this contest that afterwards led to his retirement. On May 14, 1881, he resigned his seat in the Senate, owing to certain appointments made by President Garfield, and which were obnoxious to Mr. Conkling. He was not returned to the Senate, and since devoted his entire time to an enormous and lucrative law practice in New York City, holding altogether aloof from politics.

TO-MORROW AT 2 P. M. ART AUCTION SALE OF FINE QUADRUPLE SILVER PLATED TEA SERVICES, ICE FILTERS, ICE-WATER SETS, BISQUE FIGURES AND PARIAN MARBLE STATUARY AT NO. 408 N. 4TH ST., MERMOD & JACCARD JEWELRY CO.

Last week. Don't fail to attend this great sale.
REGULAR ART SALES EVERY MORNING.

Pleasantly Surprised.

Last evening an enjoyable time was spent at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hoose, 2841 Franklin avenue, the occasion being a pleasant surprise tendered Mr. Hoose on his 29th birthday, about twenty couples participating. The evening was pleasantly spent in dancing, singing, and several interesting piano solos, the singing of Mr. Ed Hooper and Miss Aggie Keenoy being well received, as were the piano solos by Mrs. Burt Allen. At midnight the merry-makers partook of an elegant repast, for which Mrs. Hoose, the hostess, was responsible. Among those present were the Misses Maggie Farrell, Nellie Burke, Margaret Jennings, Lily Ashbrook, Aggie Keenoy, Nettie Castile, Rachel Spiegel, Kittie Grace, Annie Ruppelt, Minnie Newell, and Mr. and Mrs. Burt Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. Pritchitt, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Appler, Mr. and Mrs. Conners, Mr. and Mrs. Schimming, Mr. and Mrs. Walters, and Messrs. McSkimming, Keenoy, Pearsall, Marshall, Stewart, Cookerly, Farrell, Divers, Roberts, Walters, Dennis, Sievers, and others. Prof. Edwin Roberts' orchestra furnished the music.

New York's Bridge Management.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, April 18.—President Forster yesterday offered a resolution in the Common Council, which was adopted, that the Assembly of the State of New York be requested not to pass the Senate bill entitled "An act relative to the maintenance, improvement and government of the New York and Brooklyn bridge," for the reason that the changes made by such bill in the present system are not to the advantage of the city of New York and and appear to be disapproved by the tax-payers. President Forster explained that the bill now pending in the Legislature empowered the Mayors of New York and Brooklyn to appoint three trustees to manage the bridge affairs.

A Delightful Affair.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SCRANTON, Pa., April 18.—The preliminary meeting of the Woman's Baptist Foreign Missionary Society was held yesterday afternoon and was attended by a large delegation, representing all the New England States, New York, New Jersey, Delaware, the District of Columbia, Missouri and Pennsylvania. Mrs. O. W. Gates of Boston presided. In the evening there was a reception by the Baptists of the city in the church parlors. It was a delightful affair. A large number of missionaries are in attendance. The prospect for meetings of deep interest is good.

MILLINERY

A Grand Purchase of HATS and BONNETS at 25 cents on the dollar will be on sale To-Morrow at

Penny and Gentles

We closed out a manufacturer's stock of the very finest Hats and Bonnets, in all the latest shapes, at the above figures. They will be ready to-morrow (Thursday) morning. This will be the best chance this season to get what you want and at mere nominal figures. We will put them in one grand lot

At 73c.

50 dozen Finest French Milan Hats, all latest and best shapes, such as Bride, Bennie, Anita and 20 other shapes.

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WE WILL ALSO SELL (THURSDAY ONLY)

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29 dozen Latest shapes Union Milans. All latest shapes.

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We show the finest stock of TRIMMINGS in the city in Fancy Laces, Ribbons and Flowers. You can get a handsome Hat or Bonnet Thursday by visiting our Millinery Department. ☞ Other Second Floor Bargains are:

At 10c—50 dozen Children's Mull and Lace-Trimmed Caps....At 10c; worth 25c
At 15c—20 dozen Infants' Zephyr Sacques.....15c; worth 30c
At 19c—18 dozen Infants' Fine Cambric Slips.....19c; worth 35c

None of these goods will be sold to competitors, if we know it.

PENNY & GENTLES,

S.W. Corner Broadway and Franklin Av.

ALL OVER.

THE TESTIMONY AND ARGUMENT OF THE FOTHERINGHAM CASE ENDED.

The Case in the Hands of the Jury—Testimony Taken This Morning—Opening Speech of Thomas B. Harvey—Henry D. Laughlin's Arraignment of the Messenger—The Character of the Detective Delineated by Charles P. Johnson—Judge Thayer's Instructions.

The trial of the damage suit brought by D. S. Fotheringham against the Adams Express Company and W. H. Damsell, in the United States Circuit Court, was terminated so far as evidence was concerned at 11 o'clock this morning, and the argument was then begun. The trial has been remarkable for two things—its length and the extent to which newspaper reports have been used as the basis of evidence. Not one feature or incident was presented on the trial that had not been fully set forth previously in the newspapers. Both the attorneys for the plaintiff and the attorney for the defense had scrap-books filled with excerpts from the POST-DISPATCH, the Globe-Democrat and the Missouri Republican, to which they referred at every stage of the proceeding. There had not been an incident missed in this printed record. Mr. Pinkerton referred slightingly to "mere newspaper accounts," when on the stand, but without the newspaper statements with reference to the case it could hardly have been tried. Fourteen days' work in a court of justice and over seventy witnesses examined under conditions that compelled them to answer, produced nothing the public had not already been told.

The defense finished its case practically with the testimony of Robert A. Pinkerton yesterday, but put on one or two witnesses afterward to prove facts that had not been made clear before.

THIS MORNING

John W. Kearney, a reporter on the POST-DISPATCH, identified as an interview with D. S. Fotheringham had in the City Jail on the day Fotheringham was placed there. The purpose of the identification was to get into evidence one of the Jim Cummings letters which Fotheringham had referred to in the interview by Fotheringham as having been read by him that morning. The defense then offered the letter but the plaintiff's counsel objected and the court sustained the objection.

Frank S. Nevins, stenographer for the Legislative Committee that investigated the Circuit Attorney's office in February, 1886, was put on to prove that Marshal F. McDonald had said before that Committee that Pinkerton had not and did not then believe in Fotheringham's guilt. The stenographer read Mr. McDonald's language from his report of the testimony. Mr. Laughlin insisted upon having the entire testimony of Mr. McDonald read, and the Court allowed the reading of all the testimony that bore upon the Fotheringham matter.

D. S. Fotheringham was put upon the stand to rebut C. W. Deoboid's testimony of yesterday with reference to employment which he expected to get in the coal business. Fotheringham said a man whom he knew at Rich Hill, Mo., by the name of Foote had offered him a position as city agent for a local commission house. Foote said he would pay $100 per month and expenses. Fotheringham never said the man came from Chicago, and only had one conversation with Deoboid relative to the matter.

THE ARGUMENT

was then begun, Thomas B. Harvey leading for the plaintiff. Mr. Harvey made the opening statement for the plaintiff, and his speech this morning was a review of the points he then called to the jury's attention with additions suggested by the development in the case. It was a coherent, logical and at times even an eloquent presentation of the case. Every fact that had been developed upon by the prosecution he analyzed, showing how all testimony tended to substantiate only the theory of innocence. He made an attack upon Superintendent Damsell that was highly dramatic. The Superintendent did not seem to relish it, and Mr. Pinkerton when his turn came for examination grew white with anger.

Henry D. Laughlin began his speech after the noon recess. He occupied nearly all of the time allotted to him in an arraignment of Fotheringham, and in an analysis of the testimony to show the existence of probable cause for a ballet in the messenger's guilt from the time he made the first statement. He spoke for an hour. He went over the contradictions which had arisen between Fotheringham and other witnesses, contradictions and discrepancies in Fotheringham's own statement, and altogether made the very best of a very poor case.

Charles P. Johnson closed for the plaintiff. He, too, was analytical, and claimed that discrepancies or contradictions appearing in repetitions of a story, except when such related to material facts were the strongest proof of the truth of the story. His delineation of the character of a detective was a strong bit of word painting, and altogether the speech was worthy of Mr. Johnson's reputation.

The instructions of Judge Thayer will relate solely to the law, and when he has concluded the case will be given to the jury. The Judge announced this morning that the case must be finished to-day, and, though the speeches were not finished until night, he announced his determination to finish without adjournment.

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Arkansas Nursery Company.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 18.—An Arkansas nursery company filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary of State yesterday. The officers are: Howard Adams, President; W. S. Thomas and J. B. Jones, Directors. Capital stock, $50,000.

Nourish Your Baby.

Mothers who are nursing will find the use of *Nicholson's Liquid Bread* gives an abundant supply of rich milk; it stimulates the lacteal functions and builds up the constitution. Ask your grocer or druggist for it.

The congregation of the Mound Street Christian Church have begun the canvass for funds for the erection of a new church building.

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Over 1,000 different styles of flowers just received at prices that will make ladies buy.

19c. 19c. 19c.
35 cartons of Assorted Flowers, newest designs; have always been sold for 50c.

39c. 39c. 39c.
25 cartons of Assorted Fine French Flowers; would be cheap at 75c.

48c. 48c. 48c.
30 cartons Assorted Monitures; worth $1.00.

98c. 98c. 98c.
50 cartons the Handsomest Flowers yet shown; other houses are selling them at $1.50.

$1.48. $1.48. $1.48.
20 cartons Finest Imported French Flowers. They come in over 50 different styles. This lot is worth from $2.50 to $3.50.

We are now showing all the latest novelties in long wreaths. We have them from 59c up to $3.75.

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BROADWAY AND MORGAN.

IN SOCIETY.

Nuptials of Mr. T. K. Niedringhaus and Miss Hennie Johnson to-day.

A beautiful church wedding will take place this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Central Presbyterian Church, Miss Hennie B. Johnson, daughter of the late J. T. Johnson, and Mr. Thomas K. Niedringhaus being the high contracting parties. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Dr. Brank, the pastor of that church, and Prof. Moore will preside at the organ. A march from Tannehauser will accompany the footsteps of the bridal party up the aisle. The bride will be accompanied by her maid of honor, Miss Richardson, and will be attended by five other bridesmaids, Miss Mollie Niedringhaus, sister of the groom, Miss Annie Pope, Miss Ella Stanard, Miss Daisy Hester and Miss Eugenia Johnson. The groom's best man is Mr. Alexander Niedringhaus, and the other groomsmen are Mr. J. F. Johnson, Mr. J. Christy Church, Mr. George Niedringhaus, Mr. Al Shapleigh and Mr. Stanley Matthews.

The bride will wear an exquisite gown of heavy corded silk, pure white, falling from deep plaits at the waist, perfectly plain, in a long train behind, the front breadths covered with white tulle, shirred at the waist and bordered with a fringe of white lilacs around the bottom; slightly looped at the left side by clusters of white lilacs with long stems. The deep pointed corsage, is cut en V over the shoulder, with garniture of white lilacs and orange blossoms. The demi-sleeves reach the elbow, and she will carry a bunch of white lilacs, the same pure white flower confining the bridal veil of tulle to her hair.

The maid of honor, Miss Richardson of Quincy, will wear white faille, covered with India silk, looped at the side with clusters of purple lilacs; full straight draperies at the back. The pointed corsage is cut en V over the shoulders, with draperies confined to the left shoulder with pompons of silk, and carried in folds down to the skirt, where it is confined at the left side with sprays of the purple lilacs. In her hand she will carry a large bunch of the same flowers, and will wear a large leghorn hat bent at the side and trimmed with lilacs.

The other bridesmaids will all be dressed alike in pure white India silk, with soft full-draped fronts, looped with purple lilacs; the draperies straight and full at the back, and corsage decolette and sleeveless, the soft silk shirred in at the waist, and the shoulders garlanded with lilacs. They will all wear long tan gloves and broad leghorn hats, trimmed with lilacs, and carry a great bunch of the same flowers in their hands.

After the ceremony there will be a limited reception of near relatives and intimate friends at the residence of the groom's parents at the corner of Garrison and Franklin avenues.

Mr. and Mrs. Niedringhaus will leave on this evening's train for New York, whence they will sail for Europe on the 28th, to be absent six months.

Chat.

Mrs. Willis Howe has recently returned from Chicago.

Mrs. Donelly has returned from Florida and is at the Lindell Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy of Hotel Barnum have located at Beers' Hotel.

Miss Yellitch will spend the summer in New York, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Grant.

Mrs. L. M. Rumsey is entertaing her cousin, Miss Jean Cunningham of Portland, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Stephens have returned from Washington City and are at the Lindell.

Mrs. Paul Fuss has been seriously ill ever since her return from New York, but is now better.

Mrs. Clarence Jones and family will go North about the 1st of June to spend the summer.

Miss Long of Quincy, Ill., has arrived to attend the marriage of her cousin, miss Hennie Johnson.

Mrs. Col. Marmaduke of the Lindell Hotel is getting ready to go to her cottage at Sweet Springs.

Mrs. L. G. Myerson is with her son, Mr. G. S. Myerson and wife of Omaha, Neb., at Eureka Springs.

Mrs. Judge Linley goes to her cottage at Sweet Springs to make it ready for occupying during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ladd, who have been living at the Planters', go to housekeeping on Belle avenue early in May.

Mrs. Richardson of Quincy, Ill., arrived last week to attend the marriage of her first cousin, Miss Hennie Johnson.

The young gentlemen of Kirkwood gave a dancing party on Friday evening to the Young Ladies' Dancing Club of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Billingsly will close their house about the 1st of May and go to New York for the benefit of Mr. Billingsly's health.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Nelson will remove into their own house, the Budd mansion, which they have recently purchased, on the 1st of May.

Miss Maud Hughes, a schoolmate of Miss Belle Billingsly, arrived yesterday from Philadelphia to attend the Bunton—Billingsly wedding.

Mrs. Goldman and daughter, of Valley avenue, left on Monday for a tour through Germany. They will not return to St. Louis before November.

Mrs. L. M. Rumsey gives a handsome luncheon to-morrow complimentary to her cousin, Miss Jean Cunningham of Portland, Ore., who is visiting her.

Misses Mamie and Kitty Clark give an informal young ladies' tea this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the residence of their aunt, Mrs. Bathurst Smith on Pine street.

Miss Stella and Fannie Phelan, who have spending the winter with their uncle, Dr. Phelan, will return to their home at Halifax, May 1, after a most enjoyable winter.

Mr. Niedringhaus is building a handsome house on Washington avenue, near Thirty-eighth street, which will be ready for him to bring his bride to when he returns from Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Warner entertained the progressive euchre club, of which they are members, at the Montesano House last night. They will leave May 1 for Hannibal, where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Will J. Barnett gave a handsome dinner last night at the Jockey Club-house at the Fair Grounds. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Meillier, Mr. and Mrs. Saunders Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Filley, Mr. and Mrs. George Hayward and others.

Mr. Thomas K. Niedringhaus gave a handsome supper last night to the Niedringhaus—Johnson bridal party. At the Mercantile Club-house he entertained his groomsmen and the members of the Bull's Eye Club, to which he belongs, on Monday evening at the St. Louis Club.

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Mike Lee and Henry Hardy were arrested in the Third District last evening on charge of stealing several pairs of shoes from Pat Lannon of No. 512 Biddle street.

REAL ESTATE.

Sales Made and Prices Obtained To-Day—Notes and News.

H. L. Cornet & Co. sold a 25x105 foot lot on the east side of Nineteenth, between Mullanphy and Madison streets for $28 a foot to Fred Klotzbach, who is going to improve the site with a dwelling.

A lot of 37½x130 feet on the south side of Mullanphy, between Twentieth and Twenty-second streets, the property of Eliza W Clymer was sold at $18 a foot to Anton Boekwinkel for improvement.

A lot 24'100 feet on Howard street, between Twenty-third and Jefferson avenue, the property of Ferdinand Lodenkamper, was sold at $30 a foot to Henry Schwenk for improvement.

The pair of double flats numbered 2522 and 2524 Howard, with 38x139 feet of ground, renting for $54 a month, the property of Jere W. Clemens et al., was sold for $5,000 to Frank Ebert, who purchased for investment.

Bradley & Quinette sold a 25x120-foot lot on the north side of St. Ferdinand avenue, just west of Warne, for $425 from Joseph Masik to Charles W. Leguerrin.

A lot of 25x165 feet on the west line of Cook avenue, just west of Whittier street, with a small frame house on it was sold for $3,250 from Henry Hoffmeister to Jane Jones.

Another lot, 38x145 feet in dimensions, with a frame house, on the northwest corner of Kennerly and Cora avenues, was sold for $1,100 each from Wm. Sample's estate to Michael Hickey.

Charles Gauss of the Gauss—Shelton Hat Company has invested $18,000 in Christy avenue property. The premises he bought through the Anderson—Wade Real Estate Company belonged to F. A. Drew. It is located on the south side of the avenue, between Eighth and Ninth, and has a frontage of 44x105 feet, including Nos. 11 and 13.

RESIDENCE AND BUSINESS SITE.

H. S. Liggett or the Liggett & Meyers Tobacco Company has purchased an 80x145 foot residence site in Vandeventer place, south side, for $14,000. Charles H. Bailey negotiated the sale for John N. and Thomas Booth, the grantors. The ground Mr. Liggett purchased is situated between the residences of R. C. Kerens and Mr. Mallinckrodt.

Hercules McCord has invested $8,000 in a piece of property at the southeast corner of Twenty-third and Sheridan avenues, which is now renting for $1,000 per annum. Samuel Bowman and Wm. P. Nelson negotiated the transaction.

J. W. Peters, the fish monger, has purchased the premises, number 1024 South Fourth street, with a frontage of 30½x142 feet, and intends expending considerable money for improving the site for which he paid $9,000. This property was owned by Chas. B. Stuever for whom it was sold by the firm of Valiat & Vogel.

OHIO'S HABITUAL CRIMINAL ACT.

The Supreme Court of the State Decides the Law Unconstitutional.

COLUMBUS, O., April 18.—The Supreme Court handed down an important decision yesterday in the case of Robert Patterson, a Miami County prisoner in the penitentiary, sent up on a five years' sentence for burglary, which sentence will expire in 1890. This being Patterson's third or fourth term, he was marked for retention as a life prisoner under the habitual criminal act. That act was based upon the principle that a man who is convicted of three separate and successive crimes, is a confirmed criminal, and should be restrained of his liberty for the good of society. The attorneys for Patterson took the case to the Supreme Court for the purpose of testing the constitutionality of the act. The court decided that the law is unconstitutional, and Patterson will therefore be released at the expiration of his legitimate sentence. There are about half a dozen other prisoners in the penitentiary whose cases are similar, and they must also be released when their regular terms expire.

New K. of P. Lodge.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

MEXICO, Mo., April 18.—Thomas R. Gelwicks, G. K. R. S., Knights of Pythias, will institute a lodge of about thirty members in this city to-night. He will be assisted by District Deputy McClure of Wellsville.

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MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

Opening Meeting of Session Held and New Bills Introduced.

After the business of formally opening the session of Council was disposed of yesterday afternoon Mr. Blakely offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved by the Council, the House of Delegates concurring, That a special joint committee of five, to be composed of two members of the Council and three members of the House of Delegates, be appointed by the presiding officers, respectively, of the two houses, whose duty it shall be to consider the question of the city erecting, acquiring and controlling its own gas-works, and report, at a date as early as possible, such recommendations as may seem to them proper to be considered by the Municipal Assembly.

The temporary appropriation bill was introduced by Mr. Blakely. The same gentleman also introduced a bill authorizing the Mayor and Comptroller to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue to pay interest due on public debt. The chairman of the Ways and Means Committee also introduced a bill fixing the rate and percentage of taxes to be collected for 1888. The St. Louis Transfer Company's bill asking for an extension to the city limits was re-introduced. After receiving a communication from the House, which also organized for the session, the Council adjourned until 3 p. m. to-day.

THE HOUSE.

The House of Delegates reorganized yesterday afternoon by re-electing the officers of the last session. Several communications relative to street openings were received from the City Counselor. A new bill to regulate pool-selling and bookmaking was introduced. Some bills of minor importance were introduced after which the House adjourned until 7 p. m., April 24.

The Tuesday Progressive Euchre Club gave their last card party of the spring season at the residence of their President, Mrs. Wm. Ellison, 2804 Olive street.

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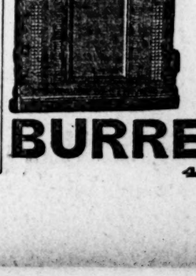

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MANAGER JOHN KELLY'S LOW OPINION OF THE CINCINNATI TEAM.

He Says That the Red Legs Are Beaten When They Step on the Field—Bob Ferguson on the Drunkards—Jack Ashton Talks of Jake Kilrain—Senator Stanford Loses $200,000 Worth of Horseflesh by Fire—Sporting Matters—Diamond Gossip.

A party of distinguished people with a national reputation arrived in the city this morning and registered at the Laclede Hotel. Among them was Col. John Kelly of Louisville, Ky., and, strange to say, the balance of the party was made up of gentlemen of rank from the Blue-grass region. Truth to say the party are the members of the Louisville Base Ball Club and the attraction which has brought them to St. Louis is none other than a similar class of gentlemen who go to make up the St. Louis Base Ball Club. The two are scheduled to open the season of the American Association in this city to-day.

Manager Kelly was not over-anxious to predict the result of the four games to be contested here, and when asked what he thought of the prospects said:

"I don't like to put myself on record too strong, but I will say that I'll be satisfied if we break even with the St. Louis Club. Outside our batteries our team was never in better condition. Ramsey's great arm is not as strong as it ought to be, and we will look to Hecker to do most of the work in the pitcher's square. I do not believe that the St. Louis Club is half as weak as people say it is. They are going to fool somebody. How will we land this season? Well, I think we have a fighting chance anyway. The championship will be between six clubs—St. Louis, Louisville, Cincinnati, Brooklyn, Baltimore and the Athletics. It will be pretty hard work picking the lucky one from that lot."

"What do you think of Cincinnati?"

"Well, we have Cincinnati right where we want her. The Cincinnatis act like a lot of whipped curs when they step on the field against us. We have them beaten before a ball is pitched. If all of them were the same size for us that Cincinnati is we wouldn't ask for anything better."

Kelly says he will pitch Ramsey and Hecker against the Browns in the first two games here and thinks that if he has luck he can win with them.

Cincinnati vs. Detroit.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* reprints the criticisms of Shortstop Rowe of Detroit on the Cincinnati team which appeared originally in the POST-DISPATCH last week to the effect that Cincinnati would rank third or fourth this season. Commenting on this, Harry Weldon says:

"The Cincinnati people will have an opportunity to see whether Mr. Rowe and the rest of the blowhards in the Detroit aggregation mean what they say. The Cincinnati Club may be third rate, but for all that they are confident that they can defeat the champions of the League. Manager Schmelz yesterday deposited $100 with the sporting editor of the *Enquirer* on behalf of the Cincinnati players in support of their challenge to the Detroits for a series of games this fall for $1,000 a side—the stake to be made up by contributions from the players of both teams.

Talk of the kind indulged in by Mr. Rowe is very cheap. It costs nothing to make a lot of boastful assertions, but to support these assertions with money is a horse of another color. The Reds have given evidence that they are in earnest by posting their money. They do not say they will mop up the earth with the Detroits, but they are firmly convinced that they can defeat the Michiganders three out of five games, and have posted their money in support of that belief. Money talks. Now let Mr. Rowe and his crowd either put up or shut up.

To-Morrow's Game.

The second game in the championship series between Louisville and the World's Champions will take place to-morrow at Sportsman's Park. This series promises to be one of the best of the season, and will no doubt be liberally patronized. Either Hecker or Chamberlain and Hudson or King will pitch. Game will be called at 4 p. m.

Buffalo Called In.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 18.—President Cushman of the Buffalo Base Ball Club has wired Manager Chapman at Louisville to cancel all engagements to play Sunday games during the practice trip of the club. Last Sunday's game at Cincinnati met with considerable disapprobation here.

Bob Ferguson on the Drunkards.

Ferguson, the veteran umpire, player and manager, was full of reminiscences and base ball reform yesterday, says the New York *Sun*. Among other things he said: "I always predicted that base ball would be a public institution, and I have watched its fluctuations during the last twenty years with as much interest as any other man in this country. Base ball is as healthy, honest sport now, and has the full confidence of the public. As long as it remains as it is there is no danger of a decline in the interest. I have watched closely the development of the base ball phenomenons, and some of the men deserved the success they made, while others are out of their occupation except when carrying the hod or debauching in a gin-mill. Look at Burdock, for instance; there is a wonderful player, and yet of what account is he to himself or to base ball? There is one of the greatest, if not the best, infielder in the country. He cannot control his abominable taste for liquor, and consequently he is useless. The club owners have forgiven his tricks until they have lost all patience with him. He has been fined again and again, and yet he will go right off and do the same thing again. Now he appears to have been sinned out last, and in the interest of the game he ought not to be taken back again. Such practices cast a reflection upon every other player in the country. You read in the papers of another of Burdock's escapades, and people say, 'Oh, he's a ball-player,' as if all ball players did such things. I have always been in favor of retiring men from the profession who cannot conduct themselves like true gentlemen both on and off the field. I was always opposed to reinstating those unfortunate players, Hall and Devlin, and although they had powerful friends, and every effort was made to have them taken back, better counsel prevailed and it was not done. Base ball is the sport of the people, and we must keep it clean and wholesome, or the foundation will be knocked from under it. Players are now paid good salaries, and young men of intelligence and social position are daily entering the ranks. Let the loafers go, I say, and so will say every other true friend of the game."

Grand Stand Chat.

Stratton, Louisville's young pitcher, is with the club. He will be utilized if the visitors capture the opening games.

Ramsey says that his arm is in good trim, but that he will need a little practice in order to get it thoroughly limbered up.

The double-umpire system has proved a success in the Philadelphia-Athletic series. Just as it must prove a success wherever tried.

Kelly, "the beauty," has been interviewed in Boston and says that Johnny Ward is a scholar and a gentleman, and should get $5,000 for six months' work from New York.

Pitcher Conway of the Boston Club was married on Tuesday, at Lawrence, Mass., to Miss Kate Moodie, sister of George Moodie, the well-known catcher of the New Orleans Club.

The Pittsburg Club, since the refusal of McCormick to play this season, is looking around for another pitcher. The management on Friday gave trial to Silas Smith, a local man, who made a favorable impression, exhibiting good speed, curves and a fair command of the ball. He may be signed.

The vest fronts of the Louisvillies were decorated this morning with blue ribbons, symbolical of their pledge to refrain from strong drink. The only man to actually sign the pledge with Francis Murphy, the temperance apostle in Louisville, was Gladiator Pete Browning. Ramsey claims that no pledge is necessary to keep him from drink.

Fred Dunlap says there is no man in the profession so faint-hearted as Manager Watkins, of the Detroit Club. When the Chicagos closed up on the Detroits last season Watkins was about to resign, but Capt. Hanlon laughed him out of the idea. Dunlap also says Hanlon deserves the credit for getting the present strong team together for Detroit and not Watkins.

Among the excuses advanced by the Detroits for their failure to capture the St. Louis series is the inability of Bennett to play, the felon on Ganzel's finger, Thompson's lameness, White's lacks of practice, Hanlon's absence from the team, the club's inability to bat, and the weakness of Broughton and Sutcliffe behind the bat.—[New York WORLD.

Herman Doescher, the well-known umpire, was in the city last night, on his way to Kansas City. He thinks the League race will be very interesting this year, and that there are three or four prominent candidates for first place. Detroit seems to need strengthening, just at present at least, both in the box and behind the bat. The Indianapolis Club, he says, has unquestionably been greatly strengthened.—[Indianapolis *Journal*.

"I made lots of money on the Kansas City Base Ball Club last year," remarked a sport yesterday. "You see, I had a sure thing. I stood in with one of the players, and every day before the game was called he told me whether the boys had been drunk the night before, and I bet against them and always won. If they had not been drunk, I bet against them on the strength of their drunk the night before and won any way—with a few exceptions. Great snap that was!"—[Kansas City *Times*.

Newark is making a strong showing, and the managers of the other Central League Clubs are somewhat alarmed lest Newark prove too formidable at the commencement of the championship season, thereby leaving the other clubs away in the rear. If such should prove to be the case it would be very unfortunate for the Central League, as its success will be entirely due to the uniformity of the playing strength of each club. If Newark and Jersey City take a big jump at the start the weaker clubs in the League will lose interest in the fight and may disband before the close of the season.—[Philadelphia *Record*.

The Little Diamond.

The Clippers and Cozzens opened the season Sunday. Score: Cozzens, 10; Clippers, 7.

The Dorcas Streets were defeated by the Morrison Avenue Whites, late the Little Hudsons, by a score of 14 to 13.

The Silver Tips have reorganized. They would like to hear from all clubs whose players are 15 years of age. Address to J. Holmes, No. 2333 Wright street.

The Little Clarks have organized and would like to hear from all clubs whose members are under 15 years of age. Address Stephen Marling, No. 2750 Clark avenue.

The Little Hudsons have organized with the following players: Costello, c.; Fahey, p.; Foley, 1b.; Dormandy, 2b.; Holden, 3b.; Lewis, s. s.; Kelley, l. f.; O'Brien, c. f.; McCarthy, r. f.

The Our Boys defeated the Robert Hill team Sunday at Belleville by the score of 18 to 8. The features of the game were the heavy batting of Sinnemeyer and Quinlay and the fine pitching of Kehrot.

The Benton Juniors have organized for the season, which the following players, W. Sauder, captain; B. Campbell, D. Anderson, D. Manay, W. Pavey, F. Bullett, C. Reed, F. Clegg, H. Conrade, W. Reed, sub. Would like to challenge any nine under 15 years. Address Hugh Conrade, No. 510 Pine street, room 524.

The Little Brown Stockings have organized for the season with the following members: D. Ansyln, c.; W. Forest, p.; W. Dubois, 1b.; C. Ansyln, 2b.; J. Kennedy, 3b.; J. McKenna, s. s.; J. McNulty, l. f.; G. Doyne, c. f.; F. Coughlin, r. f. They would like to hear from all clubs under 16 years of age. Address J. Kennedy, No. 1410 Taylor avenue.

The North Cote Brilliantes have organized for the season with the following members: H. Meyer, c.; T. Welsh, p.; F. McKenna, 1b.; F. O'Brien, 2b.; C. Stege, 3b.; T. Hegner, s. s.; W. McKessel, l. f.; C. Neale, c. f.; J. Reardon, r. f. They would like to hear from all clubs under 20 years of age. Address F. X. McKenna, No. 5535 Marcus avenue.

The Olympics defeated the much-talked-of Emerald Stars of last year Sunday, by a score of 41 to 10. The features of the game were the terrific batting and the general playing of the Olympics. The players of the latter are J. Burnes, c.; J. Fahey, p.; W. Ehrman, 1b.; E. O'Connor, 2b.; W. Cunningham, s. s.; C. Dyrphy, 3b.; G. Mauvais, l. f.; J. O'Brien, c. f., and N. Simcox, r. f. They will receive challenges from clubs, the members of which are under 17 years of age. Address communications to W. Cunningham, 2121 Carr street.

A GREAT BLUFF.

Jack Ashton's Opinion of Kilrain's Challenge—Ashton Talks.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 18.—When asked about the Kilrain challenge Jack Ashton said: "I wouldn't go to France under any circumstances. Kilrain knows we can't fight in France or England without danger of arrest. We can go to New Mexico though and will not be interrupted. Soldiers will come out there and make a ring for a fight."

"Why don't he stick to the agreement he made with me at Covent Garden?" said Ashton. "When he was in America he said he would lick me. I had a talk with him in London. He said he wouldn't fight in England or France, but said that the first one who came to America should challenge the other. I gave out my challenge the Monday I arrived in Boston and posted my forfeit."

The question was asked if there was anything in Kilrain's challenge besides the place, which was objectionable.

"No, I don't object to the rules," said Ashton. "I can wrestle nearly as good as he can. I want to know why he doesn't keep to the proposition made me. He told me he wouldn't fight abroad. Why don't Fox make him stick to it. Fox said a while ago that if Sullivan wanted to fight Kilrain they would battle in New Mexico. I would not fight on that side for £4,000, and here I will fight him at his own rules for $2,000 or $5,000. He remarked that after the Smith fight that never again would he fight there again, but he would here. Ashton said he did not see that he could do anything further. His own challenge had been out a week, but Kilrain had not noticed it. It was Kilrain's business to keep to his agreement and accept the challenge he agreed to accept, and which awaits his action now."

In a word Jack Ashton says Kilrain's challenge is a great bluff.

Stanford's Horses Burned.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 18.—Fire at Palo Alto last night burned a portion of the stables of Senator Leland Stanford. The following horses were roasted to death: Clifton Belle, Rexford, Emma Robertson, Troubadour, Lowell and Howard. Nolaine, which has a trotting record, she fastest for a yearling in the world, is not yet dead but it is impossible for her to live. Two or three others will probably die. The loss will reach at least $200,000.

Memphis Races.

The winners of yesterday's races at Memphis were as follows: Hilda, first race; Wanderoo, second race; Macbeth, third race; John Gray, fourth race. The attendance was 3,000.

Baldwin's Horses.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 18.—A dispatch from Albuquerque, N. M., says: Baldwin's string of flyers, after resting here for three days, left last night on a special train for the East. Those who suffered injuries in the wreck are reported improving, and the trainer claims that all will be in trim for the spring races.

LOCAL NEWS.

Frank Steilijes cut Charles Morgan in the breast at 1204 North Seventh street yesterday afternoon.

James Bliss of Logan, O., blew out the gas at the Merchant's Hotel last night and was nearly suffocated.

Joseph Cook of Boston said in his lecture at the Pilgrim Church last night that he could not indorse Beecher's theology.

Christ Eichenrath, 15 years old, was thrown from an ice wagon, the team running away, at Twenty-first and Hebert streets yesterday, and was killed.

Annie Stegman, 37 years old, residing with her husband and six children at 1921 Walnut street, took paris green yesterday afternoon. After treatment at the Dispensary she was removed to the City Hospital.

The Central Society having charge of a proposed system of free German schools met last night at Central Turner Hall and resolved to hold a series of district meetings. The first will be held at Twentieth and Dodier streets.

The potting shed of the Jordan Floral Company on Union avenue, northwest of the Christian Brothers' College, was burned yesterday afternoon. An adjoining stable was also consumed. The damage is about $2,600.

Al Kemp had his left arm broken by the falling of an elevator at the United States Express Company's stable, Eleventh street, between Walnut street and Clark avenue. James Driscoll was injured internally in the same accident. They were hoisting hay.

The Police Board dismissed a charge of intoxication against George Beard, filed charges of maltreatment preferred by Emma Horton against Marcus Blair, a patrolman, and divided a disputed reward of $10 between Detective Fitzgerald and Patrolman Jansen.

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THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE

Will Meet to Plan Its Fight for the Poll Books—Political Matters.

To-night the Democratic City Committee will meet at their rooms at the northeast corner of Sixth and Pine streets. The attorneys will report on their plans to get copies of the registration books. This is the only business docketed for the meeting. Until it is settled the committee will probably not take up the problem presented by the conflicting district lines. There is no way at present for changing the Senatorial lines, except by an act of the Legislature.

Ratchford for Congress.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

IRONTON, Mo., April 18.—The Union Labor party of the Tenth Congressional District met here yesterday. Eight counties and nine wards of the City of St. Louis were represented. The convention organized by electing J. A. Smith of St. Francois County, President, and John Frazer of the same county, Secretary. A platform was drafted and in the discussion of its adoption, a dispute arose, which, owing to some personalities by Mr. Ratchford, reflecting on certain delegates from St. Francois County, came near resulting in personal encounters and the convention broke up in a noisy adjournment. At 7:30 o'clock they reassembled and thought to harmonize matters by striking out certain planks in the platform. But when the nomination of a candidate for Congress was mentioned a long and heated discussion followed, which resulted in a bolt by the delegates from St. Francois and Washington Counties. The Farmers' Alliance of Iron County had no representation, and the bolting delegates declared their intention, in case of Mr. Ratchford's nomination, of returning to their first love, the Democratic party. The remaining delegates, about fourteen in number, principally from St. Louis, proceeded to business by nominating M. J. Ratchford for Congress, and selecting delegates to the Sedalia Convention. Mr. Ratchford appeared and in a few brief remarks thanked the convention for the honor. He said: "I do not expect to be elected, it is like a forlorn hope." The five delegates at large to the Sedalia convention are Nathan Johnson of St. Francois County, J. C. Scott of St. Louis, W. J. Adams of Jefferson County, John Sanderson of Madison County and D. B. Wommack of Ste. Genevieve.

Mr. Marshall's Candidacy.

Mr. W. C. Marshall, the attorney, is a candidate for Circuit Judge. In a communication sent out to every member of the bar he announces his intention to submit his name to the City Democratic Convention, which meets next summer. He also announces therein that "without the support of the bar I do not think any one could be elected to that honorable position; without their support and confidence I do not believe any one could succeed on the bench." The letter concludes with a request for a candid statement of the recipient's views on the candidacy and a polite solicitation for the recipient's support, if not pledged to "three others."

The question has been suggested by several members of the St. Louis bar, what will Mr. Marshall do if he fails to secure the endorsement of his "fellow-members of the bar?" They have postponed replying to the candidate's letter until they receive an answer to this question.

Illinois Municipal Elections.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 18.—Elections were held in many Illinois cities yesterday, the principal feature being a struggle between temperance and saloon elements. In a large number of places the anti-license ticket was successful and in several others high-license candidates were elected. The license and low-license tickets met with success in several of the larger towns, but in few of the smaller places.

Champaign County (Ill.) Democrats.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

TOLONO, Ill., April 18.—The Champaign County Democratic Central Committee meets at Champaign to-day to arrange for and issue a call for a county convention to nominate a county ticket and elect delegates to the State and District Conventions.

Republican Victories.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

MATTOON, Ill., April 18.—The Mattoon Republicans elected three out of five Aldermen yesterday, the council now standing six Republicans to four Democrats.

At Charleston the anti-license folks carried the day by 61 majority.

Lovington Republicans made a clean sweep of the town offices, gaining entire control of the village board.

Carlyle's Election.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

CARLYLE, Ill., April 18.—The election held in this city yesterday to elect members to the City Council passed off very quietly. In the First Ward, Wm. Kleber was re-elected, in the Second Ward, H. Berger was re-elected, and in the Third Ward Peter Keshner was elected, defeating the old member by 19 votes. The Council now stands four Democrats to two Republicans, with the Mayor a Democrat.

Anti-License Wins.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SPARTA, Ill., April 18.—The city election came off yesterday, resulting in the anti-license carrying by a majority of twenty-three votes. The Aldermen elected were Lyle, Grant and Leiner.

A Prohibition Ticket Elected.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

FAIRMOUNT, Ill., April 18.—In the city election held here yesterday the following Prohibition ticket was elected by a majority of one vote: Dr. J. W. Turner, Mayor; R. Jack, J. H. Parrish and E. Robertson, Aldermen; G. W. Kidd, Clerk.

Senator Berry's Opponent.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 18.—Samuel W. Williams, a prominent lawyer of this town, has entered the race for United States Senator, to succeed James H. Berry. The indications are that several candidates will be in the field.

License Carried.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

CARLINVILLE, Ill., April 18.—The municipal election passed off quietly yesterday. The Democrats elected three Alderman, which will give them a majority in the City Council. License was carried by 353 majority.

Political Notes.

The Vest Club will meet to-night at the Lindell Hotel to receive some new members.

The Lincoln Club of the Twenty-second Ward had a well-attended meeting at Spoen's Hall last evening.

TO-MORROW AT 2 P. M. ART AUCTION SALE OF FINE QUADRUPLE SILVER-PLATED TEA SERVICES, ICE FILTERS, ICE-WATER SETS, BISQUE FIGURES AND PARIAN MARBLE STATUARY AT NO. 408 N. 4TH ST., MERMOD & JACCARD JEWELRY CO.

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Royal Arcanum Election.

The Grand Council of the Royal Arcanum last night at the Elks' lodge room over the People's Theater, Sixth and Walnut streets, elected Thos. P. Morse Grand Regent, R. R. Bonner, Grand Vice Regent, J. C. Terry, Grand Orator; W. E. Robinson, Grand Secretary; Jas. F. Coyle, Grand Treasurer; Chas. B. Ellis, Grand Chaplain; W. T. Franklin, Grand Guide; S. S. Hutchins, Grand Warden; T. F. Mosley, Grand Sentry; Carl Moeller, H. W. Kaltwasser and H. W. Hough, Committee on Finance; John D. Vinell, John S. Knot and B. F. Nelson, Committee on Laws; J. R. Bellinger, W. S. Boyd and A. G. Steele, Committee on the State of the Order. A Past Regent's jewel was presented to H. W. Chandler on his retirements from the Grand Regent's chair, by J. D. Vinell on behalf of the order.

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A Tragic Mystery.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 18—The body of J. L. Kinney of Conyers, Ga., was found in the switching yards of the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia Road of this city out in two last night at 11 o'clock. Kinney was supposed to have been accidently killed, but it is believed this morning that he was murdered and his body placed on the railroad track. A stranger has been found by the police with Kinney's overcoat on and several arrests will probably be made to-day.

Amusement Notes.

Irish comedy in "The Black Thorn" is pleasing the patrons of the Standard.

Assistant Treasurer Walters' benefit at the Grand Saturday night should call out a big house.

That tear-compelling play "East Lynne," with Ada Gray in the leading roles, is moving the audiences at Pope's.

Fun is ruling at the Grand, where the absurdities, the music and the clever specialties of "Hole in the Ground" are pleasing good audiences.

Miss Rose Osborne is doing excellent work as Stephanie, in "Forget-Me-Not," at the People's. Miss Osborne's benefit on Friday night should be remembered.

Prof. Gleason gave another interesting exhibition of his skill as a horse-tamer at Music Hall last evening. No one who likes horses should fail to see Prof. Gleason.

Mr. Mantell is winning the favor of the audiences at the Olympic with his artistic impersonation of "Kombers." The performance throughout is smooth and effective.

Over 100 people with rich costumes and brilliant stage effects are promised for the "Arabian Nights" at the Olympic next week. The sale of seats will open to-morrow.

HORSOWAY'S Vermifuge Confections, the only pleasant and effective vermifuge.—Children love them.

Barr's Daily Bargain Bulletin

WE WILL SELL TO-DAY and TO-MORROW:

Barr's Millinery Dept.
About 5 dozen Fancy Colored Straw Hats for children; regular price, $1.75 and $2.00. We will close them at $1.00; the best bargain in this city.

Barr's Underwear Dept., SECOND FLOOR.
Full lines of Ladies' Lawn Dressing Sacques, plain, tucked and ruffled, with embroidery or lace; prices, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.50 to $4.50.

Barr's Hosiery Dept. DRIVE NO. 2.
Being the largest importers west of New York, paying no middle profits, we give you the greatest bargain that can be offered in Children's Ribbed Hosiery, perfectly fast colors. Other houses would consider these goods cheap at 35c. We give all sizes 6 to 9½, only 25c per pair.

Barr's Dress Goods Dept.
150 pieces 42-inch All-Wool Checks, Plaids and Stripes at 45c per yard. This is by far the best value offered in dress goods in St. Louis to-day. Secure first choice.

Barr's Black Goods Dept.
$1 a yard, 24-inch Black Wool and Silk and Wool Frise for wraps, mantles, etc. And having only a few left, an early call will be necessary to obtain a choice.

Barr's Ribbon Dept.
100 Cartons No. 9 Satin Ribbon, cotton backs, all elegant line of shades for fancy work and decorative purposes, only 5c yard.

Barr's Shoe Dept.
Ladies' Kid Oxford Ties, C. & D., E., 2½ to 7. Good value at $1.50, but we will let the public have them at $1.00 pair.

Barr's Art and Zephyr Dept
The greatest bargain of the season in Fine Pillows only 26c each.

Barr's have always a stock to select from equal to any other three stores in St. Louis combined, and prices are away below even what you would have to pay in New York.

Ladies Look Over Barr's Bulletin Before Buying

THE CITY'S COFFERS.

Plans for Increasing the Municipal Revenue Before the Council.

The Council met at 3 p. m. to-day to give a second reading to a bill to fix the rate and percentage of taxes for this city for the current year. Until this bill which will fix the city's revenue is disposed of no action can be taken on the appropriation bill. The bill makes some very considerable changes in the plan of taxation. During the consideration of the bill in the committees the councilmen and delegates from the new limits will probably be heard from. The bill fixes the rate in the old limits, or that part of the city within a line 660 feet west of Grand avenue, at 55-100 for the payment of interest on and also valid indebtedness of the city. Last year this rate for the same part of the city was 70-100. On all subjects situated in the extended limits, between the line described and the present boundaries, the rates will, for municipal purposes, be 4-10 of 1 per cent; for the payment of interest on and the valid indebtedness, 55-100 of 1 per cent, instead of 1-10 of 1 per cent, as formerly. In these parts of the new limits described as "six-house blocks," where the rate for payment of interest on the public debt was formerly 35-100 of 1 per cent, it has been raised to 55-100 of 1 per cent, thus equalizing the burden.

The new district lines have not been established in the bill, but will be put in as an amendment. By the election held in February, the old six-houses-to-a-block distinction has been wiped out, and it is now proposed to establish the rates, but to change the designations. The burden of the taxation in the new limits will fall on the wealthy residents of the central portion of the district and not as formerly on the poorer and more thickly settled portions in the northern part of the extended limits. The lines will probably be established in an easterly and westerly direction so as to include the most aristocratic parts. An attempt will doubtless be made by the residents to narrow down this district as much as possible.

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A FATAL CROSSING.

M. Arban and Daughter Killed by a Missouri Pacific Engine Yesterday.

The Missouri Pacific accommodation train leaving the Union Depot at 4:20 o'clock yesterday, Ed Gary, engineer, and French conductor, killed M. Arban, a farmer living near Glendale, and his daughter, a young lady 23 years old. The accident occurred at the crossing of the Big Bend road which connects the Manchester and Clayton roads. The Big Bend road crossing the Missouri Pacific tracks goes through a deep cut. Occupants of vehicles cannot see approaching trains until they are in danger. A few years ago, a family of five or six persons was wiped out of existence at this point. After that the company kept a watchman at the crossing and later an electric bell was placed there. The bell bell, which was sounded by approaching trains. The bell has been discontinued for some time. Arban, who is a wealthy farmer and owner of a row of houses on Main street in Kirkwood, had been to a funeral with his daughter. They reached the track on their return home just as the 4:20 train dashed up to the crossing. Their buggy was smashed to bits and the bodies were carried some distance under the wheels. The remains were picked up and conveyed to Webster, where an inquest was held to-day. Within a month there have been no fewer than six persons killed on the Missouri Pacific between Grand avenue and Webster.

Had to Kill the Horse.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

BOWLING GREEN, Mo., April 18.—Hydrophobia necessitated the shooting of a valuable horse yesterday belonging to Thomas Moore, who resides near this place. This is the second horse Mr. Moore has recently lost from this terrible malady.

A St. Louis Fireman's Marriage.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

CARLYLE, Ill., April 18.—Married at the Catholic Church in this city this morning, Rev. A. Demming officiating, Mr. Wm. Zimmerman of St. Louis and Miss Lena Bross of St. Louis. Mr. Zimmerman is a member of the St. Louis Fire Department, being connected with Engine No. 6. The couple leave for their new home in St. Louis in the morning.

A Fatal Debate.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 18.—At a debating society at Carlisle Bob Tanner and Oscar Gay got into a quarrel, during which Tanner stabbed Gay with a knife. Gay died in three hours. Tanner is still at large.

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THE COAL-OIL WAR.

Gov. Morehouse Says Inspector Baggot is Complying With the Law.

There still continues to be little analogy between "oil on the troubled waters" and the controversy about kerosene waged by Inspector Baggot and the Waters-Pierce Company. Mr. Baggot persists in following the course outlined by the opinion of the Attorney-General, while the Waters-Pierce people as stubbornly insist upon sending out their tank wagons. To-day Gov. Morehouse arrived in the city and said to a POST-DISPATCH reporter while surrounded by a swarm of politicians in the Laclede Hotel rotunda: "Here is the petition in my pocket forwarded by the St. Louis grocers and others, who ask that Mr. Baggot be removed. This I can not do. The Inspector is complying with the law, and there is no reason why I should interfere. The matter is being fought out in the courts, and there it must be decided."

The Misses Babette Isaacs and Estelle Wolf of 1107 South Tenth street will entertain the "Hearts" this evening.

THE American people are quick to appreciate a good article, which accounts for their consuming over twenty millions of cakes of IVORY SOAP the past year. Its sterling merits and moderate cost establish it permanently in every household where once tried.

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There are many white soaps, each represented to be "just as good as the 'Ivory,'" they ARE NOT, but like all counterfeits, lack the peculiar and remarkable qualities of the genuine. Ask for "Ivory" Soap and insist upon getting it.

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9	33,160	25	31,900
10	35,000	26	32,830
11	30,550	27	32,770
12	33,100	28	33,100
13	33,270	29	32,980
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Circulation of the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH each Sunday during the first quarter in 1888:

Jan. 1	24,000	Feb. 19	27,200
Jan. 8	24,500	Feb. 26	26,790
Jan. 15	23,000	Mar. 4	27,190
Jan. 22	23,500	Mar. 11	30,550
Jan. 29	24,440	Mar. 18	30,200
Feb. 5	25,210	Mar. 25	31,900
Feb. 12	25,180	April 1	31,000

APRIL 8, - - - 33,600

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1888.

AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

GRAND—"A Hole in the Ground."
OLYMPIC—Robert Mantell in "Monbars."
PEOPLE'S—Rose Osborne in "Forget-Me-Not."
POPE'S—Ada Gray in "East Lynne."
STANDARD—"The Black Thorn."

The indications for twenty-four hours, commencing at 8 p. m. to-day, for Missouri are: Warmer, fair weather, preceded in the southeast portion by falling temperature; light to fresh winds becoming southeasterly.

BISMARCK is not afraid to oppose the will of "the three V's" on a matrimonial question. He is bald-headed already.

IT looks very much as if Secretary BAYARD was about to make the most popular appointment of his administration.

THE saloons were all closed in Kansas City last Sunday. But open-air religious meetings were broken up by drunken mob, all the same.

THE dust-storm of yesterday afternoon was a warning to "Our Dave" to appoint inspectors who will enforce the street-sprinkling contracts.

THE POST-DISPATCH will give $100 to the St. Louis Provident Association if its average daily and Sunday paid city circulation is not five times that of the *Republican*.

"NATURE has made Kansas City," says the *Times*. Doubtless nature is guilty of the vast amount of bluff displayed there but it is hardly fair to claim that nature made Kansas City so wicked.

THE new and elegant counting-room of the POST-DISPATCH at 518 Olive street was yesterday a center of attraction for thousands, especially for those who had want advertisements to insert in the People's paper.

THE street-sprinkling contractors have shown that they were men of "infloocence" in municipal politics. It remains to be seen whether their "infloocence" will prevail in the construction and enforcement of their contracts.

ADVERTISERS have a right to know what value they obtain when they pay newspapers for space in their columns. The quantity and quality are the considerations they demand. The average total daily and Sunday circulation of the POST-DISPATCH for the month of March was 32,840 copies, of which 26,984 copies were delivered and paid for within the range of city delivery. We challenge the *Globe-Democrat* and *Republican* to show their circulation in this form.

ORDINARILY when a retired statesman passes away, the current of affairs flows on unaffected by the event. But Roscoe Conkling was something more than a giant in debate, and even in retirement he was a powerful factor in American politics. The lesson of 1884 had taught the Republican politicians that even his silence would be fatal to their ticket, and that it would be sheer suicide to nominate in 1888 any ticket which might provoke open opposition from him. As a partisan he represented a stalwartism honored by men of all parties, a stalwartism at once proud and pure, patriotic and magnanimous. He stood forth unsullied while his party rioted in power, and while political distinction or leadership in that party too often implied connection with successful fraud and money-getting on a grand scale. While he lived there was a great moral force in reserve to rescue his party from defeat whenever it should again become worthy to succeed. Now it is at the mercy of the same influence that dragged it down four years ago. The great obstacle to BLAINE'S renomination is removed; the one man who made him afraid to run again is dead.

FOR CHARITY.

The *Globe-Democrat* of April 16 contained the following editorial paragraph:

> The *Wind Mill* says its Sunday edition has a circulation of 30,000 copies. The *Globe-Democrat* will divide $100 between the two leading charities of this city if the *Wind Mill* will prove a bona-fide paid-for circulation of half that number—15,000—the actual figures, whatever they may be, to be verified under oath and published.

We assume that the *Globe-Democrat* refers to the POST-DISPATCH. In answer thereto we publish the following statement verified under oath:

> We hereby certify under oath that the actual bona-fide paid circulation of the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH on Sunday, April 8, 1888, was 30,241 copies.
>
> JOHN A. DILLON,
> Editor-in-Chief.
> IG. KAPPNER,
> Business Manager.
>
> STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss.
> CITY OF ST. LOUIS. }
>
> John A. Dillon, Editor-in-Chief, and Ig. Kappner, Business Manager of the POST-DISPATCH, being severally duly sworn, on their oath say that the foregoing statement is true. BENJ. A. SUPPAN, Notary Public.
>
> St. Louis, Mo., April 18, 1888.

The *Globe-Democrat* will oblige us by sending its check for $50 each to the Provident Association and to the St. Vincent de Paul Society with the compliments of the POST-DISPATCH.

The *Wind Mill* proposes an exhibit of the circulation by three daily papers which it names. "Springes to catch woodcocks," in the language of old Polonius. The *Wind Mill* knows very well that one of the papers it names has a circulation very little larger than its own and will not, therefore, consent to any showing of its figures. The *Globe-Democrat's* sworn statement has been published continuously for a good while; if its accuracy is doubted we are ready to furnish additional proof. What we want from the *Wind Mill* is a sworn statement of its paid circulation—the thing which it resolutely refuses to give.—[*Globe-Democrat.*

What the advertisers want from the *Globe-Democrat* is a statement, sworn or unsworn, of its paid city circulation, which it resolutely and wisely refuses to give.

THE average legitimate paid city circulation of the Daily and Sunday POST-DISPATCH for the month of March was *26,984* copies. We will give $200 to any charity in St. Louis if the paid city circulation of the *Globe-Democrat* and *Republican* combined equals these figures. Our circulation books are at all times open to advertisers for their inspection.

WE want it understood as distinctly and emphatically as possible that there are no professional affidavit-makers connected with this newspaper.—[*Republican.*

The last affidavit in the *Republican* wanted it understood as distinctly and emphatically as possible that the circulation of that paper exceeded 3,000 copies.

BECAUSE the surly Czar has a grudge against the Battenberg Prince, BISMARCK forbids the marriage. But if more than half of the German people opposed it, he would have the ceremony performed forthwith to teach them that they have no right to meddle with imperial questions.

Saloonmen Dumfounded.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

OTTAWA, Ill., April 18.—The temperance revival held in Streators, Utica and Marseilles during the past month resulted yesterday in the election of a Prohibition Alderman in Streator, and in the total abolition of saloons in both Utica and Marseilles. The saloonmen are dumfounded, and will form a protective association.

The Wets Win.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NASHVILLE, Ill., April 18.—The city election here yesterday was hotly contested between the wets and drys. The wets won, electing their candidates for three Alderman by majorities ranging up to 65.

Belleville.

The Sultan Bittern Base Ball Club of St. Louis will play the Nationals, Sunday, at National Park.

Mr. Samuel Boucher and Miss Rebecca Davis, both of St. Clair Township, were married yesterday evening by Squire Phillips.

Peter Dreves, a teamster, had his right leg broken yesterday by a heavy iron furnace door, which he was unloading from a wagon at the gas-works, falling upon it. The limb was so badly crushed that amputation was necessary.

The consecration of Bishop Janssen is to be on a grand scale. The church will be decorated regardless of cost, and a throne, especially ordered for the occasion, arrived from Quincy yesterday. Arrangements are being made for a grand torchlight procession in the evening. Rev. C. J. Zwissler of Alton, who has been appointed chief priest at St. Peter's Church, arrived in the city to-day.

A 2-year-old son of Police Officer Louis Seeger died yesterday evening of spinal meningitis.

MR. W. C. STEIGERS
Will call on merchants wishing to contract for advertising in POST-DISPATCH. Telephone 284.

THE SUFFERING RULER.

EMPEROR FREDERICK IMPROVED AND ABLE TO ATTEND TO BUSINESS.

Prince Bismarck Calls at the Castle Early This Morning—Eminent French Physicians Summoned by the Empress—Gen. Boulanger's Programme—An Important Political Manifesto to Be Issued—M. Jules Ferry Publicly Insulted—The Liberation of Slaves in Brazil—Foreign News.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, April 18.—The reports last evening of an improvement in the Kaiser's condition were not regarded here as important. The opinion is settled that he will not live out the week. It was stated during the day that the Prince of Wales had a Berlin telegram saying that a fatal termination was looked for at any hour, but there has been no confirmation of this, and it appears, on the other hand, that Queen Victoria, after having a special train prepared at Florence yesterday to take her to Berlin at once, changed her mind and countermanded the order upon receipt of Berlin dispatches in the afternoon. I quoted London doctors Monday as against the idea of bronchitis, and it is interesting to notice that the official bulletins also abandon bronchitis, and speak now of an abscess in the trachea.

A SLIGHT INCREASE OF FEVER.

BERLIN, April 18, 9 a. m.—The improvement in the condition of the Emperor continued yesterday evening, although his fever increased a little.

A TOLERABLY GOOD NIGHT.

10 a. m.—The Emperor had a tolerably good night. His sleep was somewhat interrupted by coughing. The fever has not yet disappeared.

LESS SATISFACTORY.

1:28 p. m.—The consultation held by the physicians this morning showed the Emperor's condition to be less satisfactory than it was yesterday morning, but better than last evening's feverish symptoms indicated. Last evening the Emperor's temperature rose to 39 degrees celsius. To-day it has fallen to 38 4-5 degrees. During the night Dr. Hovell inserted a wide canula.

BISMARCK CALLS.

2 p. m.—Condition of the Emperor is almost the same as it was yesterday. The fever has not left him, but his strength is satisfactory. The physicians held a consultation this morning. Prince Bismarck visited the Emperor at 11 o'clock. The Crown Prince slept at Berlin last night. This morning he reviewed the troops in the Tempelhofer Field. He was enthusiastically greeted in Unter-den Linden where the troops defiled.

THE EMPEROR AT HIS WINDOW.

2:40 p. m.—The Emperor appeared at a window at the Charlottenburg Castle at 12:45, and was enthusiastically greeted by the crowds that had assembled. Prince Bismarck's visit this morning lasted an hour.

THE OFFICIAL BULLETIN.

3:30 p. m.—The following official bulletin has been issued: "The Emperor had a fairly quiet night, otherwise his condition is unchanged, the fever continuing."

A GREAT STIR ON THE STREETS.

The physicians have again sounded the Emperor's lungs and found that they are not affected. This strengthens the opinion that an abscess has formed in the trachea. There was a great stir on the streets to-day, owing to the circulation of a report that the Emperor intended to drive to Berlin from Charlottenburg. There was much disappointment manifested upon the rumor proving groundless.

ATTENDED TO BUSINESS.

LONDON, April 18.—A dispatch received here from Berlin says that the Emperor rose at 8:30 o'clock this morning and attended to business.

FRENCH AND ENGLISH DOCTORS SUMMONED.

PARIS, April 18.—The *Gaulois* says that at the request of Empress Victoria the French doctors Pean and Faunel, and the English doctor, Evans, will proceed to Charlottenburg to examine the Emperor.

JOURNALISTS EXPELLED.

The Bundesrath to-day voted to expel from the country Herr Bernstein, the editor; Herr Gothelar, the publisher, and two subeditors of the *Social Democrat*.

A FEELING OF DESPONDENCY.

A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Berlin, timed 4 p. m., says the condition of the Emperor is less satisfactory. It is reported that blood poisoning has supervened and that his temperature has increased. The hopeful feeling of the morning has been replaced by a feeling of despondency.

BOULANGER'S PROGRAMME.

The General to Take His Seat To-Morrow—Jules Ferry Publicly Insulted.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, April 18.—Gen. Boulanger, in pursuance of his policy of advertising himself on every possible occasion, publicly announces that he will proceed to the Chamber of Deputies to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock and take his seat as Deputy from Lille. He has not yet decided whether or not he will incur the responsibility of walking from his residence at the Hotel du Louvre to the Chamber, accompanied by the seven deputies who worked so hard for him at Lille. How high political feeling runs in Paris may be imagined from the fact that two disputants on the Boulanger question in a wine-shop in the Rue Jeanne d'Arc yesterday became so fierce that one drew his revolver and wounded the other so severely that he is not expected to recover. Much of Boulanger's influence, so far as it is not as a mere nominee of factions who welcome anything rather than the Republic, arises from the unpopularity of the Opportunists.

FERRY PUBLICLY INSULTED.

Ferry, who undoubtedly struck a heavy blow at the Republic in undertaking the Tunis and Tonquin expeditions, was publicly insulted last night as he alighted at the railway station at Nancy. The Governor of Paris, Gen. Sausier, who is esteemed on all hands as an honest and capable soldier, has adopted energetic measures in view of possible manifestations to-morrow. The troops will be kept in the barracks commanding the quay and a large force of men ready to defend the Chamber of Deputies. Last night some hundred youths, with lanterns swinging on poles, assembled before the War Office and at night two or three hundred were disposed at the Palace de Carrousel. But these are the most important manifestations up to the present. With a government office honestly desirous to maintain the peace and employing no agents or provocateurs to get up an emeute, it is not likely that any serious disturbance will occur to-morrow.

FRANCE MUST BE STRONG.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 18.—The Moscow *Gazette* in an article on the French situation says it is greatly to Russia's interest that France should be strong, no matter through whom.

BOULANGER TO ISSUE A MANIFESTO.

PARIS, April 18.—The *Figaro* says that Gen. Boulanger will shortly issue a significant political manifesto, in which he will propose the revision of the constitution. The League of Patriots have congratulated Gen. Boulanger upon his election to the Chamber of Deputies from the Department of the Nord.

A FAILURE.

Another attempt was made to hold an Opportunist meeting last night at Bordeaux, but Boulangists again interfered and forced the suspension of the gathering.

PRINCESS VICTORIA'S LOVER.

Bismarck and His Petticoat Opponents—The Local Government Bill.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, April 18.—Princess Victoria of Prussia must be a very inflammable damsel if she has cherished a life-long affection for Prince Alexander, as he finally quitted Berlin when she was only 13. During the last nine years they have never met except during three days at Darmestadt, in the spring of 1884, when Princess Victoria of Hesse was married to Prince Louis of Battenberg. Under the circumstances it is difficult to understand the frantic passion with which she is alleged to be inspired, and I should think that Prince Alexander, who has always kept a keen eye on the main chance, is probably in love chiefly with the advantages of an alliance with the royal families of Prussia and England, to say nothing of the handsome fortune which Emperor Frederick would no doubt endeavor to settle upon his daughter, who would fare badly if she had to depend on the liberality of her eldest brother. If this morganatic marriage ever takes place, I venture to predict that Prince and Princess Alexander will pass a great deal of their time in England.

BISMARCK'S POLICY.

An attempt is being made here to create the impression that Prince Bismarck is acting improperly in insisting that the policy of the German Empire should be his policy or that he must cease to be German Chancellor. In this he is perfectly justified. Here a Minister would resign at once if the monarch were to decline to act on his views. With us the Minister is practically the servant of the nation and only theoretically that of the sovereign. In Germany this sound doctrine is not so firmly established, but even there the Minister can hardly be blamed for declining to remain in office rather than to carry out a policy which he believes to be ruinous to his country. Lord Palmerston resigned rather than allow himself to be controlled by Prince Albert, and the case is some what identical with that which is now taking place in Germany. It may be right or wrong that Princess Victoria should marry Prince Alexander of Battenberg. Bismarck thinks it wrong; the Empress Victoria thinks it right, and so far as I can perceive Germany is with the Prince.

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.

Mr. Chamberlain is not only in raptures over Mr. Ritchie's local government bill as being a measure even better than that which he himself when in office prepared, but he particularly admires the addition of Selected Councilors to the County Boards and the recognition of the publican's freehold in his pothouse. I would, however, urge upon the Government to call the Selected Councilors "Aldermen." We owe the system of Aldermen being elected by the Municipal Councils to the intervention of the House of Lords, and it will be curious if we owe their presence on the county councils to Mr. Chamberlain. What I confess that I like in Mr. Chamberlain is that he ripens. When a Radical he became more Radical each successive year. Now that he has gone over, each month shows a ripening of the Tory spirit that has taken possession of him. He has now become a stronger advocate of the aldermen and the publican than even Mr. Ritchie.

HENRY LABOUCHERE.

THE SHAKSPEARE CONTROVERSY.

Hon. Ignatius Donnelly Lectures on His Favorite Subject in England.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, April 18.—Some eight hundred literary folk, scholars, dilettanti, Shakspearian blue stockings from Girton, and great ladies from Belgravia, who lionize clever people, filled Westminster Town Hall last evening where, under the auspices of the Bacon society, Prof. Ignatius Donnelly for the first time on an English lecture platform expounded his iconoclastic opinions regarding the authorship of Shakspeare's plays. It should be remembered that the Bacon Society was not founded to rob the Bard of Avon of what Mr. Donnelly terms "his false plumes," but merely to brush away the cobwebs and dust of ages from Lord Verulam's priceless tomes; and secondarily to institute an important inquiry into the mooted question as to whether he did or did not have any participation in the turning out the dramas so long ascribed to the strolling player. So the honorable gentleman from Minnesota was not talking to his own crowd and during the course of the evening I think that he failed to convert any considerable number of them to the cipher theory.

The lecture contained nothing but what has already been published. Donnelly retained for his work the key to the great cryptogram. The audience listened with great interest and some show of sympathy to a portion of the lecture, but when Mr. Donnelly commenced to expound the process by which he obtained his primal numbers on root factors they visibly drew back. With courteous but rather careless attention they followed the deciphering process as expounded and elucidated from diagrams by the enthusiastic cryptogramist, but they had very little heart in the process and not an atom of belief. The result was that the audience soon came to the lazy conclusion that the Minnesota man was good at figures, but really had no mandate to speak on such a mighty matter as the authorship of Shakspeare's plays. I heard on all sides such comments as: "It's very clever, very American; most Chicagoan," but few seemed to take the arguments in earnest or conceive that Prof. Donnelly meant them. Owing to the lateness of the hour and to a somewhat tiresome formulas through which, with the enthusiasm of the discoverer, Mr. Donnelly, waded time and again, the hall was half empty when he concluded. The lecturer was thanked and assured in a resolution that when the forthcoming work was published the society would give it the benefit of a learned, careful and candid consideration.

Brazil.

THE ABOLITION OF SLAVERY.

RIO JANEIRO, April 18.—The new ministry have already made public through a semi-official organ, that the principal and more immediate objects in their programme will be the abolition of slavery this year and measures for the improvement of the finances and currency of the country. These declarations have given almost unmixed satisfaction. The Liberal leaders have hastened to assure the Government of their support in regard to both objects. The wholesale emancipatory movement which was initiated last December in the province of San Paulo has already produced the freedom of 70,000 of its 208,000 slaves. At last the province of Rio Janeiro is affected, and the liberation movement has been commenced in the municipalities of San Fidelis, Campos and Macahe. In Fidelis, chiefly devoted to coffee raising, 2,000 slaves, 400 belonging to one family, were liberated by their owners at the end of last week. In Campos, a great sugar producing county of the province, 3,000 were set free within ten days. In Macahe, 3,000 have already been emancipated, the Araruama, family, owners of great plantations and of the splendid central sugar factory of Quissaman, inaugurating the movement by giving immediate freedom to over one thousand slaves, and engaging to pay fair wages to all their freedmen who choose to remain on their plantations. The province of Rio de Janeiro, which has hitherto been the stronghold of resistance to abolition, has thus begun to give way, and there is no doubt that the example of San Fidelis, Campos and Macahe will soon be followed in other countries. Petropolis has fixed the 1st of April for the extinction of slavery within its limits, and in the metropolis of the Empire the city fathers have determined on signalizing the return of the Emperor to Rio on the 20th of June next with the liberation of all the remaining slaves in the city, now reduced to about three thousand five hundred in number.

WHOLESALE POISONING OF INDIANS.

Accounts have been received from the Southwestern frontier of San Paulo of alleged poisoning of Indians en masse. According to the statements forwarded thence to a San Paulo paper, a certain Joaquin Bueno, who has seventy armed men under his command, recently assaulted a large Indian village and while the frightened Indians were absent poisoned with strychnine not only all the food and drink, abandoned by the fugitives, but also the wells and springs. According to Bueno's own declaration he found, when he returned a few days later, 800 corpses of Indians in the village. He also boasted that in another village he had poisoned 600 Indians and that he was about to treat similarly another in which 5,000 Indians resided.

England.

PETERS VS. BRADLAUGH.

LONDON, April 18.—In the Court of the Queen's Bench to-day the trial of the suit of Mr. Peters against Mr. Bradlaugh, Member of Parliament, for £500 damages, for libel in stating that Lord Salisbury had given Mr. Peters £25 to promote a meeting of workingmen in Trafalgar Square, was begun. Lord Salisbury was called as a witness and admitted that in December, 1885, his secretary forwarded to Mr. Kelly, Secretary of the Dock Laborers' Association, a check for £25. The purpose for which it was intended was to provide a free breakfast for the starving poor. He denied that he gave any checks to promote workingmen's meetings held previous to the riots in Trafalgar Square. He also denied that he signed a check in favor of Mr. Peters in connection with any Trafalgar Square meeting. Replying to questions put by Mr. Bradlaugh, Lord Salisbury said he had known Mr. Peters for eight years. So far as he remembered Mr. Peters and Mr. Kelly had always come to him together. Lord Salisbury's testimony was unshaken by the cross-examination.

Mr. Peters testified that he had never received any money from Lord Salisbury. A coffee-house keeper showed that a check for £25 had been given him to provide dinners for unemployed workingmen. Mr. Bradlaugh was called as a witness, but urged his privilege. The Judge, however, overruled him.

PASSED THE COMMONS.

In the House of Commons this afternoon Rt. Hon. Edward Henege moved the passage of the bill to legalize the marriage with a deceased wife's sister. The motion caused a sharp debate, but was finally carried by a vote of 239 to 182.

Russia.

RUSSIAN JOINT STOCK COMPANIES.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 18.—The *Journal de St. Petersbourg* denies the statement of the Brussels *Bourse Echo* that M. Vishnegradski, the Russian Finance Minister, had proposed that joint stock companies doing business in Russia should only be granted concessions on the condition that their shares remained the property of Russians.

BROADCLOTH AND RELIGION.

Rev. J. Annis Speaks His Mind Freely—The St. Louis Presbytery To-Day.

The business of the spring session of the St. Louis Presbytery opened this morning with Rev. M. G. Gorin, elected last night, as moderator. After devotions the following committees were announced: Bills and Overtures, Revs. George E. Martin, George P. Wilson, Elder James Comfort; Judicial, Revs. Robt. Irwin, D. A. Wilson, elder Jos. Richardson; Narrative, Rev. J. B. Brandt, Elder Dr. Brokaw; Religious Experience, Rev. A. N. Thompson, Elder Ira D. Seymour; Leave of Absence, Rev. John A. Annin, Elder E. P. Watson.

Rev. J. A. Annin, the pastor at Rolla and Cuba, presented his resignation with a long explanation of his reasons. He said the churches were going back all the time instead of going forward, and he could not, he really could not, ask those poor people to help support a pastor who dressed in broadcloth and did nothing. (Sensation.) He was honest, he said, in desiring to force a change. The matter was referred to the Home Missions Committee, which will report. W. H. Roberts of Lane Seminary was partially examined for the ministry by Drs. Niccolls and Van de Linger, the questioning taking up the time till the noon lunch hour. In the afternoon Dr. Hill was heard and the examination of the three candidates was proceeded with. To-night a missionary meeting will be held at the church. Rev. D. C. Marquis of Chicago was present to-day. There was some talk informally about the action of the Chicago Presbytery regarding reunion, but several members said there would be no action taken along that line at this session. The election of Commissioners to the General Assembly was part of the afternoon's proceedings.

WOMEN WORKERS.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Presbytery met across the street in the First Methodist Church. Mrs. Robt. Irwin acted as President and Mrs. E. D. Ricker as secretary pro tem. The report of the auxiliaries showed an encouraging outlook. In the afternoon the Treasurer, Mrs. Archer, reported $5,712.93 collected the past year, including boxes. The election of officers resulted in the re-election of Mrs. Irwin as President.

German Methodists.

The second day of the conference of the St. Louis District German Methodists was commenced this morning at 9 o'clock at the German Methodist Church, on Eighth and Soulard streets, with a half hour devotional service conducted by Rev. H. Voshall, after which a paper on "The Preacher's Study of the Bible" was read by Rev. M. Rohde and discussed by Revs. R. Koenecke, H. Schwind, H. Kobhall, W. Schutz and H. Nauman. The reports of some of the ministers were heard during the morning, showing things to be in a very good condition generally. The afternoon session was given up to the finishing of the reports. Rev. A. Kossmann of St. Charles, Mo., will conduct a service at the church this evening, and to-morrow evening a children's prayer meeting will be conducted by Revs. R. Koenecke, H. Schwind, H. Koehnhall and A. Koewing. Among those present at the conference to-day were Revs. H. Schuster, A. Jaeger, C. J. Schuman, C. C. Stahman, C. Mardorf, J. M. Dewein, W. Schwind, H. Voshall, J. G. Hildenstein, H. C. Jacoby, J. M. McClelland, A. Koeltzman, Wm. Koeneke, H. Nauman, D. Duene, M. Roeder, W. Schutz, Geo. Enzeroth, H. A. Koch, C. Archard. The conference will last until Friday noon.

A RAILWAY MONOPOLY KNOCKED OUT.

Judge Zane Renders an Important Decision in a Land Case.

SALT LAKE, Utah, April 18.—Judge Zane in the Third District Court has rendered a decision of great importance to the sheep and cattlemen of the West. The Promontory Cattle Company a few years ago purchased a large tract of railroad land in Boxelder county. The railway lands are the even-numbered sections, the alternate sections still belonging to the public domain. Through this purchase they became the owners of railroad lands in tracts of country, stretching forty miles north and south, and thirty-six miles east and west. The Government lands which are included in this area foot up more than 350,000 acres. John S. Houtz and a score of other defendants who own large flocks of sheep claimed that they had a right to the use of the public lands for grazing purposes and also to pass over the company's lands to get there. The sheep nipped the herbage on the company's lands in crossing, and as the company could not fence except in single sections, for that would inclose Government lands, an application was made to the court asking that the sheep men be kept off the tract altogether. Judge Zane refused to grant the injunction. He said if the injunction was issued it would secure to the plaintiff the right not only to its own land but also the exclusive right to the use of the Government lands. It would further impart a great hardship on all persons driving this class of stock from one section to another in compelling them to go around a tract thirty-six by forty miles.

Obituary.

CORNING, Ark., April 18.—D. G. Lee died at 7 o'clock this morning. He was a native of this county and 56 years old.

MARSHALL, Mo., April 18.—Mrs. Charlotte D. Davis, wife of Judge James D. Davis, died at her home in this city last evening of pneumonia. She was born in Augusta County, Va., in the year 1817, but had lived in Saline County, Mo., for forty years. She was a member of the O. S. Presbyterian Church, and the mother of five living children, all of whom but one were with her during her last hours.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., April 18.—Mrs. James M. Moon, the wife of a wealthy ex-farmer, now in the grain business at Mansfield, Ill., died at 2 o'clock this morning very suddenly from heart disease. She was in perfect health until a few moments before the death.

HELENA, Ark., April 18.—Mr. J. P. Romans, one of the most prominent citizens of Helena, died very suddenly of heart disease this morning. He was the manager of the Coolidge foundry.

GAINESVILLE, Tex., April 18.—W. S. Evans of Burneyville, I. T., the largest farmer and stock-raiser in the Chickasaw Nation, died at his home yesterday of congestion of the liver.

The Louisiana Election.

NEW ORLEANS, La., April 18.—As reported last night Nicholls and the rest of the Democratic State ticket were elected by from 20,000 to 50,000 majority. The count in the city is progressing slowly. Enough is known, however, to show almost beyond doubt that the Young Men's Democratic Association candidates has been mainly successful.

Horse Thief Captured.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

TROY, Mo., April 18.—Marshal Creech and Sheriff Duey arrested James Clark at Moscow Mills, this county, Monday night on a letter from the Jailer of Henry County, Virginia, where Clark was in confinement for horse stealing.

DISS DE BAR.

Some Interesting Stories About the Alleged Princess—Her Swindles.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, April 18.—More stories about "Princess" (or more accurately Ann O. Delia) Diss de Bar were in circulation yesterday. One was to the effect that about three years ago Diss de Bar swindled a man named Fuller, living at Middleboro, out of $3,000 by her spiritualistic deceptions. Fuller owned property at Quest Bay, and it was there that the Princess met him. One of the prosecuting lawyers said that Judge Vaughs of Quest had full particulars about this transaction and other swindles perpetrated by Mme. Diss de Bar at Quest. At the woman's trial to-day two witnesses who intimately knew Lola Montez will testify that she had no daughter and hence that Madame Diss de Bar cannot be Princess Lolita Montez, as she claims. The lawyers who are prosecuting the woman and her confederates gave out this story to the reporters. They say that Mrs. C. M. Seymour, who settled in Newport, R. I., about 1881 was defrauded out of about $35,000 by the Diss de Bar woman under various pretenses. Her father, who was in the China trade, left her about $100,000, but in 1883 Mme. Diss de Bar met her and informed her that her brother (Mrs. Seymour's) had died in China and left her a large fortune. A subsequent spirit epistle informed Mrs. Seymour that the fortune was at her disposal and directed that her brother in Newport be sent to China and collect the money. For these respective communications Mrs. Seymour paid the woman $5,000 and $10,000 and for other communications she gave her sums aggregating about $60,000. Before she met Diss de Bar Mrs. Seymour was building a house, but the house was never finished and the woman died a pauper. At least these are the allegations of the prosecuting lawyers.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

CONSTANT READER.—Ordinary half-dollars of 1861 are not at a premium.

SUBSCRIBER.—President Lincoln was assassinated on Friday, April 14, 1865.

B. G.—You will need two tickets for a lady and a gent at the Police Benefit.

MADEGLEN.—1. Robert Mantell is 33 years of age. 2. Maggie Mitchell will not be here this season.

J. C. H.—Dealers pay 50 cents for a 1-cent piece of 1794. An ordinary half-dollar of 1822 or of 1861 is not at a premium.

F. M., Lebanon, Mo.—The Bee Line ticket office is on the southwest corner of Fifth, or Broadway, and Chestnut streets.

SUBSCRIBER, Baldwin, Ill.—There is no legal limit to the number of terms a man may serve as President of the United States.

SUBSCRIBER.—W. W. Cole's show was here during the week of April the 23d, 1866, and exhibited at Nineteenth and Pine streets.

CONSTANT READER.—1. We cannot give you the address of Edwin H. Perry. 2. Robson and Crane will not be here this season.

READER.—Dealers charge $2.50 for your silver dollar of 1800 and will give you $1.25 for it. We know nothing about the coin you mention.

ERMINIE.—The Bennett-Moulton Opera Company will not open at the Cave at all, but the Comfied Opera Company will be the attraction there this summer.

IGNORANCE, Sparta, Ill.—1. Dealers charge as much as $1.50 for a half-dollar of 1824. 2. Dealers charge $3 and offer $3 for quarters of 1830 without arrows.

A READER.—Address H. B. Stone, General Manager, Chicago, Ill., for a pamphlet giving the history of the strike on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad.

F. C. B., Boonville.—There is no absolute rule except with regard to the relative positions of the singers, but the tenor of a quartette usually stands on the left of the other singers.

YOUNG LADY READER.—There are some public schools where deaf and dumb pupils are taught. Enquire at the offices of the public schools, southwest corner of Seventh and Chestnut streets.

A READER.—Dealers charge 35 cents for a cent of 1838, 20 cents for a 10-cent piece of 1835, from 75 cents to $1 for a 10-cent piece of 1821, 10 cents for a 3-cent piece of 1851, and 20 cents for a 5-cent piece of 1832.

J. MAX PIERCE, Centralia, Ill.—You will have to examine and determine the authorities for answers to questions 1, 2, 4 and 5, as we cannot give the space to discuss them in this column. 3. E. L. Davenport was an Englishman by birth, but an American by living and he considers his "The Maccabees" his greatest opera, although his "Nero" only is known to this country; he did not compose "The Gypsy Baron." 7 and 8. Verdi is living and stands at the head of the living Italian composers. 9. Audran, the composer, is living, but we cannot say how much he received for "The Mascotte." 10. There is no record of dramatic production and hence we cannot say positively whether "Fair Penitent" was ever played in "America."

The Fight Over Emigrants.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, April 16.—The Commissioners of Emigration held a secret meeting yesterday afternoon to discuss the present railroad complications growing out of the pool. The result of the Commissioners' consultation was not made public. Over two hundred emigrants arrived at Castle Garden yesterday and the fighting roads each secured a portion of them at the rate of $10 per head to Chicago, with second-class accommodations, but the head of the pool rate for immigrant accommodations. It was rumored that certain of the roads were selling tickets to Chicago as low as $8.

A Brutal Assault.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., April 18.—While on his way home from work last night within half a block of his boarding-house, Joseph Brown, a Burlington & Missouri engineer, was assaulted by three unknown men and brutally beaten with clubs and stones. His left jawbone was broken in several places, the right jawbone twice, all his teeth knocked out and bruised about the body. He was found, after lying insensible several hours, and taken to a physician, who pronounced his injuries probably fatal.

A Destructive Fire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 18.—A fire broke out in P. Walters' store, North Braddock, Pa., at 3:30 o'clock this morning, and before the flames could be controlled twelve stores and dwellings were destroyed. The loss is estimated at $20,000. Fifty people were rendered homeless by the fire, which spread so rapidly that the occupants of the dwellings barely escaped with their lives. The origin is unknown.

A Peremptory Mandamus Issued.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, April 18.—A peremptory mandamus has been issued by Judge Patterson of the Supreme Court directing the Commissioner of Public Works to grant a permit to the Third Avenue Railroad Company to make excavations along their line for the purpose of laying cables to be used as a motive power for their cars.

Newark's Moral Wave.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEWARK, N. J., April 18.—In view of the disclosures of Frank P. McMahon, the New York detective, Judge Depue delivered to the Grand-jury a supplemental charge yesterday afternoon. He urged them to lay aside all other business and devote their time to discovering burglaries and to the breaking up of houses of ill-fame in this city.

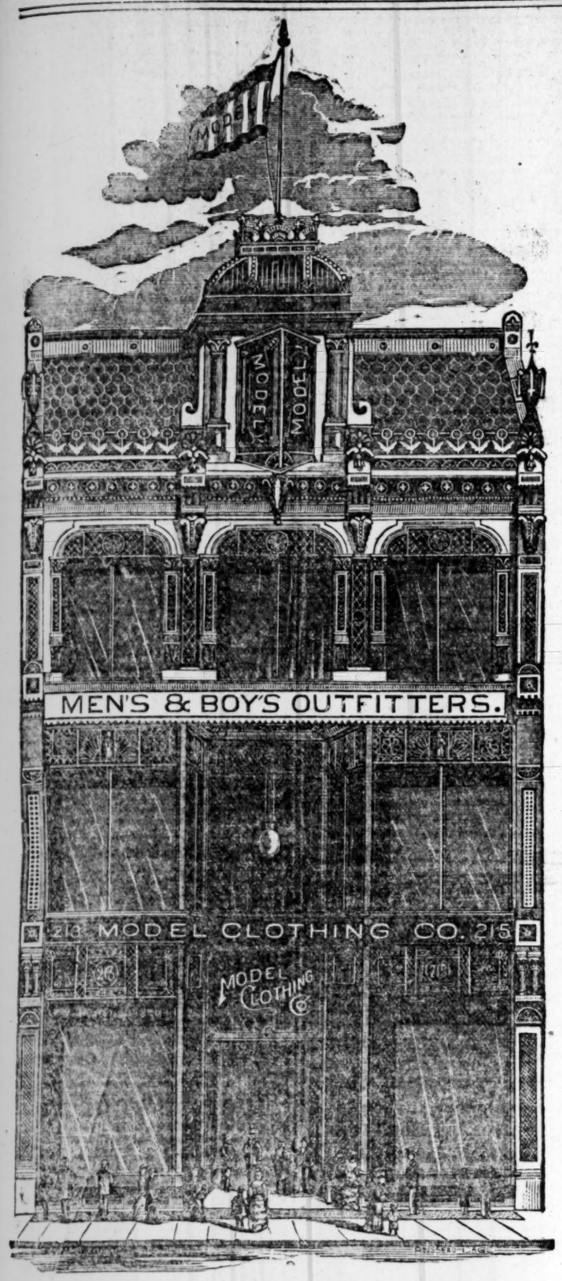
Committed on a Peace Warrant.

Deputy Constable A. M. Sheehy this morning placed Andrew Rinn, alias Leo Leroy, in jail on a writ of commitment issued by Justice Cronin. Rinn made an assault with a knife on William Grant on March 8, and the latter alleges that ever since Rinn has been threatening to kill him. The commitment was on a peace warrant taken out by Grant against him, Rinn being unable to furnish bond. The trial is set for 3 p. m. to-morrow.

Helena Live Stock Association.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

HELENA, Ark., April 18.—At a meeting of the citizens of Phillips County held in this city yesterday for the purpose of organizing a live stock association, Col. A. G. Jarman was elected Chairman, and J. W. Keesee



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3. Waltz—Ideal im Leben.....Gungl
4. Potpourri—Ye Olden Times...Beyer
5. Selections from the Beggar Student.....Meyrellis
6. Overture—Zanetta.....Auber
7. Gavott—Black-Eyed May.....Casey
8. Cavatina—From William Tell, Rossini
9. Kukuk Polka, with Imitations. Stueck
10. Selection from Lombardi.....Verdi
11. The Old Grenadier.....A. Wagner
12. Comic Patrol.....Hendley

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PROGRAMME:

1. March—Welcome.....Schopp
2. Overture—Bronze Horse.....Auber
3. Waltz—Devotion.....Hermann
4. Souvenir Polka.....Herzog
5. Selections from Mikado.....Boettger
6. Overture—Poet and Peasant..Suppe
7. Waltz—Woman's Love.....Meyrellis
8. Ballet from Rudolfo.....Gurza
9. Gavott—A Lovely Night in June.....Missud
10. Spanish Fantasia—La Paloma Missud
11. A Dream, Idylle.....Labitzky
12. Boulanger's Patrol.....Wiengarten

EAST ST. LOUIS.

CITY CLERK JOHN MEYER DISAPPEARS IN A MYSTERIOUS MANNER.

His Friends Hunting Him Without Success, and Fear That He May Have Jumped Into the River—Charges Which Probably Led to His Flight—Other News and Notes in the City Across the River.

City Clerk John Meyer has been mysteriously missing since Sunday, and his friends are much alarmed by his continued absence. Several days ago a circular which contained some grave insinuations against Meyer made it's appearance, and the charges made against him caused him a great deal of worry though none of his friends placed any credence in them. It was indirectly alleged in the circular that Meyer had received money for licenses, which he had never turned over to Treasurer Renshaw, and it was also charged that he had offered ex-alderman Louis Menges 80 German votes at the recent election, providing Menges would not insist upon an examination of the clerk's books in the event of his election. Meyer emphatically denied the latter accusation, which it is alleged was made in the presence of several witnesses, and in regard to the former, acknowledged that he had received license money, as an accommodation to Treasurer Renshaw when the latter was not in his office, and it might be possible that he had neglected to turn over the money for one or two licenses to the Treasurer. Parties friendly to the present administration started a report that the real cause of the clerk's disappearance was that he had issued warrants for large amounts without the knowledge of the Council and the frequent demands of the local papers opposed to the government, for the publication of the clerk's report, had worried Meyer so much that he had concluded to leave the city to escape the disgrace which such a discovery would bring upon him. Auditor James Kirk, who has had charge of the clerk's office since Meyer's disappearance, stated this morning that the report that warrants had been drawn by the clerk, of which the Council knew nothing, was absolutely false. The warrants were all numbered and none had been drawn except by the authorization of the Council on claims recommended for payment by the Committee on Claims. Meyer's friends have been searching for him for two days in St. Louis, but have not only failed to locate him, but have secured no tidings of him. It is feared by some that he may have suicided by jumping in the river, though why he should take such action is not apparent, as the city officials claim that his books are all straight. Meyer is about 37 years of age and is a widower. His wife having died several years ago, leaving him three children. Before his appointment as City Clerk he was the book-keeper for J. P. Becker's dry goods house. He had just been appointed City Clerk by the new Council, when the circular appeared which caused him so much worry.

Notes.

Mrs. Hattie Davis has returned from the East, where she was visiting friends.

Mrs. Josepine Fuchs, nee Trendley, arrived in the city from New York yesterday and will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Winstanley.

The School Board has appointed Dr. C. L. Wiggins secretary until a superintendent is appointed, when the duties will involve upon the appointee.

Felix Keating has brought suit against Brod Henderson, Frank Collins and Frank Bergin for $5,000 damages each for assaulting and stabbing the Sunday previous to the election.

M. F. Tissen, editor of the Herald, who has been laid up for the past five weeks with a serious attack of rheumatism, is able to be up and about. He will start on his new Herald building May 15.

Charles Hubbard, who was arrested several days ago for disturbing the peace and resisting an officer, was acquitted in the City Court and the Police Office Mossfield for $5,000 damages for laying his head open with a club.

Mr. Maurice Hezel, proprietor of the Hezel Mills, was examined by Conductor Ireland of the Ohio & Mississippi road while the train was crossing the bridge last night, because he refused to go into the forward car after being ordered out of the Pullman. Mr. Hezel announced his intention of suing the Ohio & Mississippi Company for damages.

H. C. Boughan, supervisor, yesterday made a settlement with Mrs. M. F. Timlin, administratrix of J. F. Timlin, deceased, and the bondsmen of the late Supervisor. The settlement dates from 1884 to June 30, 1887, the time of supervisor Timlin's death. The amount of $43.17 was found due to the widow after all credits and set-offs were allowed.

The programme of the concert to be given by the Young People's League at the Summit Avenue M. E. Church this evening is as follows: Piano duet, "The Jolly Blacksmith," Prof. N. Cauphlin and Mrs. H. Jackelsch; vocal solo, "Flower Girl," Miss Mollie Foster; violin and piano, Mrs. E. Vollrath and Prof. G. Lehman; reading, Mrs. Mary Hogan; piano solo, "Moonlight on the Lake," Prof. G. Lehman; song, Miss Julia Seiffrath; song, "Merrily I Roam," Mrs. Theresa Baderscon; soprano solo, Mrs. W. B. Smith; zither duet, Messrs. Cox and Lotz; vocal solo, Mrs. W. Walker. After the concert refreshments will be served.

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WARRANTS FOR THE PRIZE-FIGHTERS.

Nine of the Participants in the McManus-Flint Mill to Be Taken to the Country.

Sheriff Ehlers of Franklin County, Mo., with J. P. Bagby, one of his deputies, and a citizen of the county arrived here this morning with warrants for the principals in the McManus—Flint fight, the referee, their seconds, backers and some of the spectators. In all there were nine warrants. They were against Artie Flint and Hugh McManus, charged with engaging in a prize fight, and Jake Esher, the referee; Tom Allen and Jack Brohan, seconds for Flint; Tom Kelly and Jim Evans, seconds for McManus; Jim Sweeney, backer of McManus, and P. J. Tucker, all charged with aiding and abetting a prize fight. The warrants were made out by a Justice of the Peace of Franklin County.

As soon as Ehlers arrived with his deputies this morning he proceeded to the Four Courts, where he visited the Sheriff's office and then had his warrants approved by Judge Noonan before attempting to make any arrests on them. Then he went to Chief Hubbler to apply for assistance in making the arrests. The Chief sent him to Capt. Joyce, with instructions for the latter to give him the necessary aid. Capt. Joyce assigned Officer Zeigler to accompany him, with instructions to summon more officers if necessary to make the arrests. He did not anticipate, however, that any trouble would be experienced, as he thought the men would attempt no resistance.

Sheriff Ehlers stated to some officers at the Four Courts that he intended to take the men back without giving them any chance to give bond. When he was seen by a reporter of the POST-DISPATCH the Sheriff was very much disinclined to talk, as he did not want anything to appear in the paper until the men were captured. The reporter assured him he already had the names of the defendants, and what the charges were. Ehlers then admitted that he was here to arrest them, but would say little more.

"What do you suppose will be done with them after they are arrested?" he was asked.

"I don't know," was the reply.

"There is an impression that what are known here as country juries are harder on men in cases of this kind than city juries. Do you think these men will be severely punished?"

"I am sure I do not know."

"How is the sentiment of your county—in favor of or against prize fighting?"

"I don't know what it is."

Prize fighting, or aiding and abetting in a prize fight, is a felony, punishable by imprisonment in the penitentiary of not less than two nor more than ten years, so that if convicted at all the men will get pretty severe doses.

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Attempted Suicide.

About 9:30 this morning Herman Tillman, a German, residing with his wife in the rear of No. 1710 Menard street, attempted to commit suicide by cutting himself with a razor in the left arm near the elbow, injuring a blood vessel and causing a profuse hemorrhage. The cause is unknown. Dr. Henry Hartman of 1635 South Broadway, called to attend him, thinks the injury may prove fatal.

Signal Office Discontinued.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18.—The Chief Signal Officer gives notice that the season of cold waves having passed, the indication officer at St. Paul, Minn., will on May 1 next, discontinue the preparation of all indications, including cold wave warnings. Commencing on that date they will be prepared by the indications officer at the Washington office for Minnesota, Dakota, Wisconsin, Nebraska and Iowa.

MISSING BOYS.

Children Who Wander Away From Home With the Coming of Spring.

With the opening up of spring the small boys commence to disappear from their homes. Three cases of runaways are reported by the police to-day.

John Nyde, aged 14 years, employed at the America newspaper office, drew his pay Monday and left for parts unknown. His father, who lives at No. 1925 South Eleventh street, has reported the matter to the police, and wants the boy arrested. John is described as large for his age, has black eyes, light short hair, dressed in dark clothes, black slouch hat, blue shirt and lace shoes.

Charles Brown, aged 12 years, has been missing from home, No. 1615 North Broadway, since the 12th inst. He had on a blue checkered waist and dark pants.

Charles Kending, aged 11 years, left his home, No. 2013 Chestnut street, the same day and has failed to return. He has red hair and blue eyes, and wore black jeans pants, blue flannel waist and button shoes. He hangs around Fifteenth and Biddie streets. His mother wants him arrested.

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North St. Louis.

Herman Huber, proprietor of Huber's Grove, is reported dangerously ill.

The Paper-hangers will have an executive session to-night at Wenzel's Hall, Eighth and Franklin avenue.

The Eighth Ward Republican Club will have a rally this evening at the Harugari Hall, Tenth and Carr streets.

The Laclede Plate & Sheet Mill Company is talking of shutting down one of the plate mill furnaces owing to the falling off in orders.

Over thirty thousand shares of the Queen of Sheba mining stock is held by St. Louis parties, more than one-third of whom are ladies.

A local option meeting was held last night at the Mound Street Christian Church. Rev. Ben Deering and George E. Martin were the speakers.

Capt. C. F. Lehke, proprietor of the St. Louis Hardwood Saw Mill, who was injured a few nights ago in a runaway accident, is still dangerously ill.

The Personal Liberty Clubs of the Eighth and Sixteenth Wards will hold a joint meeting Friday night at the North St. Louis Turner Hall, Twentieth and Salisbury streets.

The ladies of the members of the Apollo Gesang Verein will give a leap-year calico ball to-morrow night at the North St. Louis Turner Hall, Twentieth and Salisbury streets.

Just before dark last night the driver's cash-box on car No. 51 of the Bellefontaine Street Car Line was relieved of $2 at Tenth and Biddle streets. The driver at the time was engaged in lighting one of the lamps and the thief jumped on over the dashboard in front.

The Euterpe Singing Choir had a rehearsal last night at their hall, Thirteenth and Wright streets. The choir will give a public singing festival May 8, which will be their first public appearance since organization.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Fuller, 4560 North Broadway, were given a surprise party a few evenings ago. An impromptu programme of literary and musical features was followed by an excellent luncheon, making in all a pretty bubble of pleasure.

THE NEW ENGLAND FISHERMEN.

Alleged Importation of Nova Scotia Fishermen Indignantly Denied.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

GLOUCESTER, MASS., April 18.—The owners of fishing vessels at this port are very angry over the statement made in the papers to the effect that they are importing Nova Scotia fishermen under contract. "It is a lie," said they, "and has done us much injury. If Collector Saltonstall had taken pains to look into the matter he would never have sent those men back who landed in Boston last Thursday. We propose to sue him for damages." Capt. Horatio Babson, the agent of several vessels, showed the POST-DISPATCH correspondent articles of agreement between the men and the owners. These all specify that the men shall sail on "shares" and be paid according to "fishermen's luck."

Said Capt. Babson: "I never hired a man to come up from the provinces in all my life. I never spoke to one of them until they came here. The fishing vessels are manned by all nationalities. I estimate that 33 per cent of the crews are provincials. Every nationality seems to clan together. Thus provincials from one town will get on the same vessels because they are acquainted and know one another. Portuguese do the same. I have vessels from my wharf manned entirely by native born Americans."

"Masters from Portland, Me., and Lanesville, Mass., all tell the same story, and all deny the statement that they are importing contract labor.

A Pleasant Reception.

The reception given by Hon. S. M. Breckinridge last evening at his residence, 2221 Lucas place, to Dr. F. L. Patton of Princeton College was a very pleasant event. Over 200 gentlemen were present during the evening, and were introduced to the President-elect of the College of New Jersey. A tasteful collation was served, and the reception was enjoyed by the guests. Dr. Patton expects to leave for Cincinnati this evening.

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If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other. A Boston lady, whose example is worthy imitation, tells her experience below:

"In one store where I went to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla the clerk tried to induce me buy their own instead of Hood's; he told me their's would last longer; that I might take it on ten days' trial; that if I did not like it I need not pay anything, etc. But he could not prevail on me to change. I told him I had taken Hood's Sarsaparilla, knew what it was, was satisfied with it, and did not want any other. When I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was feeling real miserable with dyspepsia, and so weak that at times I could hardly stand. I looked like a person in consumption. Hood's Sarsaparilla did me so much good that I wonder at myself sometimes, and my friends frequently speak of it." MRS. ELLA A. GOFF, 61 Terrace Street, Boston.

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Hotel Personals.

O. H. Evill, Forest City, Ark., and Wm. B. Simpson, Holden, Mo., are at the St. James.

John Meyers, Covington, Ky.; J. W. Green, Philadelphia, and C. A. Mosely, Bloomfield, Mo., are at Hurst's.

Charles L. Andrews, New York; Jos. A. Bolen, Kansas City; E. A. Eastman, Chicago, and Jas. A. Pratt, Neosho, Mo., are at the Laclede.

C. D. Hartnett, Washington, Tex.; A. B. Duncan, Albany, Tenn.; J. N. Oliver, Memphis, and Thomas Crowther, Boston, are at the Planters'.

C. B. Markland, Salt Lake; Samuel Marx, New York; Charles Holton, Boston; W. L. Kleeman, Philadelphia, and Eugene Levering, Baltimore, are at the Lindell.

H. Bosuker, Ft. Wayne, Ind.; R. F. Bull, Louisville, Ky.; F. A. Marnott, Denver, Colo.; J. R. Boggets, New York; Andrew Jones, Baltimore, and Jesse E. Hall, Boston, are at the Southern.

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BARNARD—At their residence, No. 2009A Carr st., ANNA MAY, infant daughter of Sidney L. and Ella McQueeny Barnard.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

KOERBER—ROY KOERBOR, aged 11 months at residence, No. 2832 Whittemore place.

LOOMIS—On Tuesday, April 17, at 2 o'clock p. m., JAMES E. LOOMIS.

Funeral from Wm. Rutter's, No. 2807 Easton avenue, on Thursday, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Friends invited to attend.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of the late MRS. D. P. CHILD, eldest daughter of Mrs. A. C. Grainger, will be held at the Church of the Holy Communion, Twenty-eighth and Washington avenue, Thursday, at 2 p. m.

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LODGE NOTICES.

THE members of Washington Lodge, No. 24, I. O. O. F., are requested to attend the next regular meeting on Friday evening, April 20. Work in the 1st degree. Visiting brethren fraternally invited. H. L. STEMLER, N. G.
WM. HEFNER, Permanent Secretary. 33

A GEORGE WASHINGTON LODGE, No. 9, 3rd and A. M., will hold a special communication at Masonic Hall, corner 7th and Market sts., on Thursday, April 19, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of Brother James F. Loomis. Resident members will take due notice thereof and attend. Visitors are fraternally invited. By order of
Attest. GEO. R. MOORE, W.-M.
F. J. HEUER, Secretary. 33

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

Book-keepers.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—A situation by a young man with three years' experience in general office work and understands book-keeping; best of references. Address G 97, this office. 36

WANTED—A young man possessing good business qualities, good education and a fair idea of bookkeeping desires a situation of any kind where honesty, industry and close application to business will be appreciated; highest of references. Please address F 94, this office. 36

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—A steady young man desires a situation with a grocery store; can give best of references. Address C. F. K., 1402 Pine st. 37

WANTED—Young man who has just graduated at a commercial school would like to engage with some retail house for the purpose of learning the business; also of remaining permanently if satisfactory; salary no object; best of reference. Address M. King, 1003 Pine st. 37

The Trades.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—Position by a machinist skilled in the use of the file and lathe. Add. S 31, this office. 38

WANTED—Sit. by a licensed engineer who is a practical mechanic and electrician; strictly sober; best of ref. 4275 A Garfield av., care of Geo. Brown. 38

Coachmen.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—A situation by a competent man as coachman or to work in private family; can come well recommended. Address N 98, this office.

Boys.

WANTED—A boy of 20 wishes a situation at driving some kind of delivery wagon. Add. W 1, this office.

Miscellaneous.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—A situation as porter, driver or work in a store, or in the country. Add. K 97, this office.

WANTED—A situation by a young man, age 23, in a private family; has experience and is well recommended. Address M 1, this office. 43

WANTED—Situation by a young man with some experience, residing with his parents; can furnish bond in any amount in position of trust. E. Lee, 3103 Lucas av. 43

WANTED—Situation as foreman of stables; have been such all my life and served three years under a veterinary surgeon in the army; best references given. Address 2902 Market. 43

HELP WANTED—MALES.

Clerks and Salesmen.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—Drug clerk. Address box 25, New Madrid, Mo. 54

Coachmen.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—Colored coachman. Address E 1, this office. 55

The Trades.

If you want a good place the Sunday Post-Dispatch will secure it for you.

WANTED—A first-class tailor. 3502 Olive. 58

WANTED—Five good painters. Apply 1720 S. 10th st. 58

WANTED—Two carriage painters. 1516 St. Louis av. 58

WANTED—Carriage smith and helper. Rapp & Moller, 2222 Pine st. 58

WANTED—Three good house painters. F. M. Kezer, 1523 Lucas av. 58

WANTED—Experienced photographer. Apply at Hyatt's, 8th and Locust sts. 58

WANTED—Good paper hangers at J. L. Isaacs Wall Paper Co., 1210 Olive st. 58

WANTED—Good house painter for country. Apply to W. L. Rodgers, 110 N. Broadway. 58

WANTED—Three experienced shoe-stitchers at Brown-Desmoyers Shoe Co., 8th and Walnut sts. 58

WANTED—A shoemaker for repairing and custom work; must have tools. Cook's, 2704 Chouteau av. 58

WANTED—Basketmakers—Six basketmakers wanted; also a boy. Apply to H. Dean & Co., 983 N. 6th st. 58

WANTED—Five quarrymen; good wages and steady work to good men. Corner Theresa and Hickory st. 58

WANTED—Good house-painters; highest wages and work to good men. Lindsay & Wheeler, 1212 N. Jefferson av. 58

WANTED—A couple of good bushelmen tailors and one tailoress; good wages; steady employment. 614 Morgan st. 58

WANTED—A good marble letterer at R. H. Follenius, 508 and 510 Chouteau av.; steady work for a suitable man. 58

WANTED—Skilled carpenters; good wages and steady work. Call at once on Jos. Stock, Clayton, 2 miles west of Forest Park. 58

WANTED—A first-class horseshoer, a floorman; one that has had some experience at fire; must be a sober man, young to middle age; steady employment at good wages. Address J. W. Miller, Carthage, Mo. 58

Laborers.

If you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch. 58

WANTED—Teamsters to call at Eads and Todd ave. on works. 58

WANTED—Men and carts on 22d and Mullanphy sts. Pat Finnerty. 59

WANTED—Thirty shovelers, Duncan and Vandeventer avs. John Bambrick. 59

WANTED—Men and teams, $3.50 per day. Eads av., between Nebraska and Todd, Jno. Stack & Co. 59

WANTED—Thirty granite paving block makers. Apply H. G. Hardy, La Motte Granite Co., Fredericktown, Mo. 59

WANTED—25 men with spades or shovels at corner of King's highway and Lindell av. Apply to John Murphy, foreman. 59

Boys.

If you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Boy to distribute bills. 1523 Lucas av. 61

WANTED—A boy to work in a meatshop. Corner Allen and California avs. 61

WANTED—Boy to make himself generally useful around the house; family of 3. 3034 Magazine st. 61

WANTED—By boy 17 years old, to learn photographing; best references. Address K 99, this office. 61

WANTED—Boy of 14 to 15 years to paste paper on backs of picture frames and learn trade. Am. Art Co., 8th and Pine sts. 61

Miscellaneous.

If you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Porter for saloon at 1035 N. 2d st. 62

WANTED—Colored porter at barber shop. 1929 Park av. 62

WANTED—Rubber or hostler. J. F. Gilbirds, 5441 Page av. 62

WANTED—Canvassers and collectors. Call Thursday, 8 a. m., room 512, Temple Building. Q. Kreeks. 62

WANTED—A young man, not under 25 years, to deliver (serial) books and collect; city ref. and small security required; salary and commission paid; no canvassing. Address F 1, this office. 62

WANTED—Two smart men for the city to introduce the finest line of Rogers' Silverware ever offered on small weekly payments. Now is the season, and we pay salary or commission. Apply, with references, to Conroy Bros., 702 S. 4th st. 62

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Housekeepers.

WANTED—Situation as working housekeeper by a respectable lady with good references; widower preferred. Call or address B. S., 408 S. 2d st., third floor. 71

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

General Housework.

THE Sunday Post-Dispatch will secure you the best of help—for 5c. per line.

WANTED—Situation for general housework. 3167 Sheridan av. 48

WANTED—German girl to do general housework at 1721 N. 19th st. 48

WANTED—Situation by colored girl for housework; best of reference. Add. L 1, this office. 48

WANTED—A German girl wants a situation for general housework. Call at 2334 North Market st. 48

WANTED—Situation by a Swedish girl to do general housework. Call at 1629 Franklin av., third floor. 66

WANTED—A girl wishes a situation for light housework or for one or two children. Up-stairs, 2527 S. 10th st., St. Louis, Mo. 48

WANTED—A good German woman wishes a situation to do general housework in small family; city or country. 1427 N. 12th st. 48

STOVE REPAIRS!

For every stove or range made in the United States to be had at A. G. Brauer's, 219 Locust st. 48

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

Cooks, Etc.

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WANTED—Situation by German girl as first-class cook. 3167 Sheridan av. 49

WANTED—By a steady woman a place to cook, wash and iron. Apply 137 Gay st. 68

WANTED—Situation by a girl to cook, wash and iron; small private family. 1211 N. 9th st. 49

Laundresses.

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Miscellaneous.

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WANTED—Families, boarding-houses and hotels can get girls and girls places at 925 N. 12th st.

WANTED—By a colored girl, a situation to do dining-room work or nursing. Apply at 1328 Morgan st. 52

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

Stenographers.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—A lady stenographer and type-writer; state system used and salary expected. Address C 61, this office. 64

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

If you want a good place the Sunday Post-Dispatch will secure it for you.

DRESSMAKING—A good basque hand wanted at 1211 S. 6th st. 69

WANTED—Ladies to work on custom pantaloons, at 1007 N. 6th st. 69

WANTED—An experienced tailoress on custom coats. Apply at 314 N. 3d st., 3d-floor front. 69

WANTED—Shirt-makers; steady work and good wages; custom work only. Sears, 616 Pine st. 69

WANTED—Immediately, a first-class waist trimmer; also an apprentice. Mrs. Ridgley, 23 S. 16th st. 69

WANTED—A good seamstress who understands fitting and draping by the day; state price, H 99, this office. 69

WANTED—Two first-class waist makers, also two first-class shirt trimmers. 2727 Washington av.; immediately. 69

General Housework.

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WANTED—Girl for housework. 803 N. 15th st. 66

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. 3862 Page av. 66

WANTED—A German girl for general housework. 2519 S. 12th st. 66

WANTED—A girl or woman for housework, living near 1504 Pine st. 66

WANTED—Girl to assist with general housework. 4114 Washington av. 66

WANTED—A good colored girl for general housework. 817 S. 22d st. 66

WANTED—A good German girl for general housework. 3137 School st. 66

WANTED—Two German girls for general housework. 3167 Sheridan av. 66

WANTED—A girl for general housework, German preferred. 1450 Wright st. 66

WANTED—A good girl for housework; German preferred. 1717 Chouteau av. 66

WANTED—A place by a good girl to assist in general housework. 1208 N. 3d st. 66

WANTED—A good girl to do general housework. Apply at once at 2940 Lafayette av. 66

WANTED—A girl to do general housework in small family; ref. req. Apply 1823 Hickory st. 66

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; small family. Apply 1221 Mississippi av. 66

WANTED—An experienced woman to cook, wash and iron; reference required. 3033 Pine st. 68

WANTED—A girl for general housework. 2208 S. Beaumont, bet. Clark avs. and Walnut street. 66

WANTED—A girl to assist with general housework; must understand cooking; German preferred. 2717 Morgan st. 66

WANTED—Good girl for general housework; must be a first-class cook; no others need apply. 2223 Chestnut st. 66

WANTED—Young girl 13 or 14 for light housework in family of two. To sleep at home preferred. Apply 721 Vandeventer av. 66

WANTED—A good German or Bohemian girl to do general housework, washing and ironing; $15 per month, to go to Poplar Bluff, Mo. Apply 1125 Chouteau av. 66

Cooks, Etc.

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WANTED—A good cook and to assist with housework. Apply 2730 Lucas av. 68

WANTED—A girl to cook, wash and iron in a family of three; housegirl and a man on the place. Apply 3964 Bell av. 68

WANTED—A first-class cook and also housegirl to do house and dining-room work; no washing and ironing. 3116 Washington av. 68

Nurses.

WANTED—A girl as nurse in small family. Apply 4112 Page av. 70

WANTED—A nurse about 14 years old. 2312 Wash st. 70

WANTED—Good girl or woman to take care of children. 1334 Chouteau av. 70

WANTED—A good woman to take infant three months old home; good pay. 926 N. 17th st., third floor. 70

WANTED—An experienced German nurse to assist in nursing two children; wages $12 to $15. 1827 Kennett place. 70

WANTED—Nursegirl, competent to take care of small child and assist in light housework; German preferred. 2937A Clark av. 70

WANTED—Nurse-girl competent to take care of small child and assist in light housework; German preferred. 2937 A Clark av. 70

Miscellaneous.

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WANTED—Two girls at 2102 Olive st. 71

WANTED—Girl to wash dishes. Cox's restaurant, 3425 Olive st. 71

WANTED—Good waitresses; also, laundress. Apply 506 St. Charles st. 71

WANTED—A good dining-room and housegirl; colored preferred. 2934 Pine st. 71

WANTED—Five girls, basket-makers. S. M. Jeffrey, 307 and 309 Morgan st. 71

WANTED—A first-class girl for upstairs and dining-room work; at 1013 Garrison av. 71

1801 OLIVE ST.—A good home to a little girl 10 or 12 years; Protestant preferred. 71

WANTED—Three good scrub girls to start at 4 o'clock in the morning. Moser's Hotel. 71

WANTED—First-class straw sewers; $1.25 per doz. paid. Kelly's, 1215 and 1217 Franklin av. 71

WANTED—A good German girl; one that sleeps at home preferred. Apply at 924 Leonard av. 71

WANTED—A good dining-room girl; one who understands her business. 1728 Olive st., Hotel Glenmore.

WANTED—One first-class fitter on men's fine shoes at Brown-Desmoyers Shoe Co., 8th and Walnut sts. 71

WANTED—Lady canvassers for very popular, useful and salable article. Call at 1012 Locust st., 3 up stairs. 71

LADY AGENTS clear $150 monthly with my new Rubber Undergarment, for ladies only. Proof free. Mrs. H. F. Little, D 4, Chicago, Ill. 71

WANTED—By a rent and wife, no children, a girl between the ages of 8 and 12; can attend school; reference given and required. Add. M 99, this office. 71

WANTED—A woman of energy located outside St. Louis to represent an old-established house in her locality; salary about $50 per month; references. J. G. Blanchard, Supt. 34 Reade st., N. Y. 71

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

Laundresses.

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WANTED—One good ironer at laundry. 127 Spruce st. 67

WANTED—A laundress. Hotel Leland, 1201 Pope-lar st. 67

WANTED—A first-class laundress at Mercantile Club, 708 Locust st. 67

WANTED—A strong girl for hand ironer. The City Laundry, 14th and Washington av. 67

WANTED—First-class shirt-ironers on old and new work. Imperial Laundry, 1115 S. Jefferson av. 67

WANTED—Washerwoman; one that has worked in a laundry before. Call immediately, 1405 Chestnut st. 67

WANTED—A strong girl to help wash and starch in laundry; experienced and about 16 years old. Sears, 616 Pine st. 67

WANTED—Two first-class shirt ironers; steady work and good pay. Model Steam Laundry, 514-516 Chouteau av. 67

BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—A young man wants board in private family, where there are no other boarders; will pay $5. Add. L 99, this office. 20

WANTED—Gentleman and wife want second-story front room, unfurnished, with board, in private family where not more than one or two boarders are. Address N 99, this office. 20

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED—Small house of three or four rooms; two in family; answer at once, stating rent. Address P 99, this office. 21

WANTED—By a young gentleman, nice and cool room, furnished, near Chouteau av., bet. 8th and 12th sts. Address B 1, this office. 21

WANTED—Three unfurnished rooms in North St. Louis; water, etc.; state price; rent must be low; to good tenant. Address D 1, this office. 21

WANTED—Two unfurnished rooms, with use of bath, between 14th st. and Mississippi av., and Chouteau and Lafayette avs. Address O 1, this office. 21

WE HAVE customer for a desirably located detached dwelling, worth from $4,000 to $5,000; will pay cash if suited. Address, stating full particulars, SAMUEL BOWMAN & CO., Bank of Commerce Building, 421 Olive st. 21

TO IMPROVED PROPERTY OWNERS

I have numerous calls daily for dwelling flats and rooms. Owners having any for rent will do well to place them in my hands.
THOMAS F. FARRELLY,
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517 LOCUST ST.—Store, 25x125. Inquire at Zeidel & Winkler's; up-stairs. 17

1919 OLIVE ST.—Store; good location for any business, especially barber-shop. 17

FOR RENT—A first-class store for milliner or dressmaker if taken before April 25. Add. K 1, this office. 17

FOR RENT—Second-floor, near Washington av.; good location for wholesale business; rent low. Apply at 711 N. 4th st. 17

BOOKS.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—Books—All kinds bought for cash. Call or send address. Book Exchange, 309 N. 9th st.

WANTED—Old books, magazines and Seasides; call or send postal. Crawford & Co., 7th and Olive sts.

MUSICAL.

MUSICAL instruments of all kinds are bought and sold, after advertising in the Sunday Post-Dispatch 27

WANTED—To engage a cornetist to play for a Mission Sunday school one hour every Sunday afternoon. Ad. R 1, this office. 27

WANTED—Chorus singers—2 tenors, 2 bass, 2 sopranos, 2 altos. Apply on stage Olympic theater at 9:30 to-morrow morning. Geo. Clare. 27

INFORMATION WANTED.

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WANTED—Immediately, at the New Museum and Bijou Theatre, twenty old maids; must be old maids and have a pet cat. Apply to Jas. McGinley, sole proprietor. 75

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WANTED—To buy houses and lots encumbered by building and loan association.
JAMES O'HICK & Co.,
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FARMS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—8 acres, 3-room house, adjoining Kimmswick, fourteen miles from Carondelet; $600. 513 Chestnut, room 1. 79

WANTED—AGENTS.

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WANTED—Lady agents for our improved Combination Bustle-Skirt; removable hoop; can be laundried; latest Paris style; one agent sold 500 in Columbus last spring, and made $500; spring trade now. Address, with stamp, E. H. Campbell & Co., 484 W. Randolph st., Chicago. 73

$2,000 PER YEAR—Correspondence wanted from men wishing steady business; $25 capital will give you a business worth the above amount. Minneapolis Optical Manufacturing Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 73

WANTED—PARTNERS.

WANTED—Party with $300 to put show on the road; two men give entire show. Address O 99, this office. 23

MONEY WATED.

WANTED—$7,000 for two years at 6 per cent; no commission; on good improved city real estate. Address K 99, this office. 25

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE.

WANTED—Would like to take about $2,000 worth of store work; will take a suburban lot in trade. Address N 1, this office. 24

SUBURBAN PROPERTY—FOR SALE

SUBURBAN HOME

For Sale in Bartmer Place.

South side, second house east of Hamilton av. An elegant 9-room house and laundry, 5 rooms on first floor and 4 rooms on the second floor, and bath-room, wide hall running through the center of the house. Gas and water over the house and stable, also in the yard; cemented cellars, large stationary ice-chest, store-room, wire screens for all the doors and windows, 2 fine heaters, stable for 3 horses, carriage-house for 4 vehicles, man's room plastered and fine for stove, fine chicken-house with 7-foot cellar for winter laying, cow-sheds for 2 cows, fine well with force pump, throw water over the house in case of fire; two cisterns, one large and one small one to filter into the large one; lot 200x162, with large oak trees over the lot; one rosebed containing 160 rose bushes. Will sell 100 feet or 200 feet to suit. Will sell on liberal terms:

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PERSONAL—Sorry he is dead, Pete Jackson is dead, Pete. 1

PERSONAL—Lucille: Leave to-morrow; call me up in the morning. D. 1

PERSONAL—Rebecca L. Ady, M. D., 1422 Olive, baths: new assistants. See personal sundries. 1

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

PARTIES BREAKING UP HOUSEKEEPING, BY sending their furniture to be sold at our regular sales on Tuesdays and Fridays, or employing us to sell on their premises, obtain considerably more cash than they can receive from other sources. R. U. LEONORI, JR. & CO., AUCT'R'S, 1005 OLIVE ST.

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YOU can save more money by buying your household goods at H. J. Nathan & Bro.'s Great Installment House, 1128-1130 Olive st., than any other house in the city. They keep everything you need and you can pay as you please. 74

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NOTICE—One cabinet photograph for 50c, 4 for $1. 1 doz. for $1.50; satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Star Gallery, 740 S. 4th st. 74

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The largest, safest and best storage rooms in the city for furniture, pianos, boxes, trunks and valuable goods of all kinds at lowest rates; cash advances made on same when desired; moving furniture, pianos and household goods from house to house done by experienced men. Packing furniture, pianos, pictures, china, glassware, etc., for shipping a specialty. WM. G. LANGAN & CO., 81 1003 and 1005 Morgan st.

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ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

CIGARS—Retailer will buy cigars sixty days, with use of show-case. Add. G 1, this office. 26

WANTED—To buy for cash, a five to twenty-stamp mill, with or without engine and boiler. Address F 1, this office. 26

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

5 S. 21ST ST.—One nicely furnished second-story front room for two gents. 13

8 S. 11TH ST.—Newly-furnished room suitable for 8 two or three gents. 13

25 S. 7TH ST.—Nicely-furnished single and double rooms on the 1st and 2d floors, with bath; cheap.

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205 CENTER ST.—Two rooms, kitchen and cellar, in good order. 13

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209 S. 22D ST.—Hall room nicely furnished and newly papered; all conveniences; rent $3.50.

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519 FRANKLIN AV.—Neatly furnished front room; private family. Apply 711 N. 4th st. 13

713 MORGAN ST.—One nicely furnished front room. Inquire in grocery. 13

721 N. 14TH ST.—One furnished room on third floor for light housekeeping; $2.50 per week.

807 PINE ST.—Nicely furnished rooms for gents only. 13

822 PINE ST.—Elegant front rooms; new corner building; permanent and transient accommodated. 13

906 ST. CHARLES ST. AND 1508 FRANKLIN AV.—Comfortably furnished rooms, with conveniences for light housekeeping, at low prices. 13

909 N. 15TH ST.—Finely furnished front room for gents; convenient to cars. 13

1015 CHESTNUT ST.—Furnished room to gentleman at $1.50 per week; also elegantly-furnished parlor bedroom. 13

1111 GLASGOW AV.—Two furnished front rooms, 2d floor, for light housekeeping or gents. 13

1116 N. 22D ST.—Two newly fur. front rooms, suitable for gents or light housekeeping; rent very low. 13

1214 PARK AV.—Rooms for rent. 13

1304 CHESTNUT ST.—Nicely-furnished rooms for transients, 50c and $1; rooms for gents.

1307 WASHINGTON AV.—Four nicely-furnished single rooms; southern exposure. 13

1319 PINE ST.—Fur. parlors $3 a week, small rooms $1 and $2; reference given. 13

1427 DODIER ST.—Four nice rooms, first floor; water in kitchen.

1604 OLIVE ST.—Two rooms, 2d floor, completely furnished for light housekeeping; cheap. 13

1602 OLIVE ST.—Elegant furnished room; rent cheap to steady parties. 13

1800 NORTH MARKET ST., cor. Hogan st.—Two good rooms, $7; large yard and shade trees. See Mrs. Walter. 13

1800 WASH ST.—Large room furnished for housekeeping; southern and eastern exposure; closet. 13

1801 OLIVE ST.—Front rooms furnished or unfurnished; single or together; hall room furnished $4. 13

1802 OLIVE ST.—Back parlor; furnished or unfurnished. 13

2012 OLIVE ST.—Three unfurnished rooms, $11; also one or two furnished for gents or housekeeping. 13

2202 A WALNUT ST.—4 rooms. Inquire at 17 S. 22d st. 13

2303 EUGENIA ST.—Four rooms, 2d floor; bath and every convenience; cheap.

2318 PINE ST.—Rooms parlors, furnished; other very pleasant furnished rooms; quiet locality; moderate rent.

2417 BIDDLE ST.—Two nicely-furnished rooms in private family for housekeeping for married couple. 13

2760 BACON ST.—Three rooms for light housekeeping; convenient to car lines. 13

2926 FRANKLIN AV.—Seven rooms, first floor. 13 REELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

2930 OLIVE ST.—Four or five rooms on 2d floor.

3104 LUCAS AV.—Two large front rooms, one on first and one on second floors; unfur. 13

3200 PINEST.—Westm Inster Terrace—The most elegantly furnished and desirable furnished rooms in St. Louis; with all the modern improvements; southern exposure; single or en suite; refs. ex. 13

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3913 AND 3915 EVANS AV.—Four rooms on each floor; water in kitchens, free; rent, $14 and $15. 13

FOR RENT—One furnished room. Inquire at 1520 Park av.

FOR RENT—Nicely-furnished rooms for transient trade. 1108 Olive st. 13

FOR RENT—Furnished front room, 2d floor. Over Halpin's drug store, Grand av. and Olive st. 13

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room; unfurnished; room adjoining if required; private family; all conveniences. 2910 Laclede av. 13

FOR RENT—Nicely-furnished 2d-story front room, southern exposure, within block of cable cars; West End; rent, $10. Address F 99, this office. 13

FOR RENT—Very desirable southern exposure third-story room near Grand av. and Olive st.; house first-class in every respect. Address J 99, this office. 13

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WANTED—Gent for room-mate for furnished room. Apply 904 St. Charles st. 13

WANTED—Three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; first floor preferred; references exchanged; convenient to street car. Address B., 1109 Clark av. 13

ROOMS are quickly rented by advertising in the Sunday Post-Dispatch. 13

FOR RENT—FLATS.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

709 N. LEFFINGWELL AV.—4-room flat, hall, gas and water. REELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

2304 A SALE ST.—Nice new 3 & 4 rooms and basement; water; large yard; rent, $15.

3408 LINDELL AV.—Nice flat of 5 rooms; independent hall, bath, gas; best of order; on second floor. REELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

FOR RENT—Six rooms on second floor; Webster Station, Mo. P. R. R. 19 N. 6th st.

FLATS—2614 Laclede av., 4 rooms; 2618 Laclede av., 4 rooms. STEPHEN PECK & CO., 811 Chestnut st.

BOARDING.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

932 HICKORY ST.—Nicely furnished second-story front room, with family board for two. Refs. ex. 18

1039 N. LEFFINGWELL AV.—Nicely furnished front rooms with board for two gents. 18

1118 PINE ST.—Nicely furnished front rooms, with board; table board $3 per week. 18

1300 OLIVE ST.—Nicely furnished room with board. Day boarders wanted. 18

1517 OLIVE ST.—Elegantly furnished rooms 1st and 2d floors; first-class board; terms reasonable.

1608 WASH ST.—Nicely-furnished rooms, with or without board; reasonable rates. 18

1716 OLIVE—Delightful cool rooms; central and choice; reduced prices; first-class board optional; private family. 18

2949 GAMBLE ST.—Second-story rooms nicely furnished, with first-class board; terms reasonable. 18

3404 FRANKLIN AV.—With best of board, pleasant rooms, single or en suite. 18

WANTED—A child from 1 year and upward to board. Call or address 2958 Scott av. 18

BOARDERS are secured by advertising in the Sunday Post-Dispatch. 18

FOR RENT—DWELLINGS.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

703 PINE ST.—In rear—4-room brick; suit colored. KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

823 LOCUST ST.—New 5-story building, suitable for a wholesale house. 7 KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

914 CHAMBERS ST.—House, gas, bath and laundry; $22.50 per month. Inquire 605 Franklin.

1625 S. JEFFERSON AV.—6-room house, one block west of Lafayette Park; $20. 14

1902 LOUISIANA AV.—From May 1, 9 rooms, all imp.; op. Reservoir Park. Call at 1900. 14

2019 CHESTNUT ST.—8 rooms, hall, gas and bath; will rent cheap. 14 KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

2022 CHESTNUT ST.—Seven rooms, hall, gas and bath; will rent cheap. 14 KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

2608 GOODE AV.—Seven-room brick with large cellar, stable and carriage house; rent, $20.

2916 PINE ST.—An elegant modern stone-front house, 12 rooms, laundry, furnace, electric bells, 2 bath-rooms, a fine carriage house. Call at our office for card of admission; May 1 possession. E. C. GREER REAL ESTATE CO., 14 No. 902 Chestnut st.

4126 OLIVE ST.—New 6-room house, hall, yards. 14

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ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WE make loans on and buy the equity in endowment and Tontine life insurance policies.
SAMUEL BOWMAN & CO., 421 Olive st.

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MONEY loaned on furniture without removal; any amount; lowest rate. John C. King, 813 Morgan. 31

A GENTLEMAN wishing to invest some surplus funds will loan $25 and upwards on household furniture and other security; parties wishing advances will be treated fairly and can secure loans on satisfactory terms. Call at 1017 Morgan st. 31

MONEY loaned on clothing, diamonds, watches, chains, guns, pistols, musical instruments, etc., at Dunn's Loan Office, 912 Franklin av.

BOYS! A Flobert Rifle Given with Each Ajax Wheel Sold This Week

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Diam'r of Front Wheel.	Length of Leg, Inside Measurement.	Weight.	Stand'd Finish, Price.
28 in.	21 in.	15 lbs.	$15 00
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38 in.	27 in.	29 lbs.	35 00
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SPADE-HANDLE BARS of cow-horn shape.

SADDLE—Suspension saddle, coil steel wire springs.

FINISH—Enameled with fine black enamel, giving a beautiful and hard surface. Standard finish comprises the head, brake, handle bars, hubs, cranks, pedals and steps nickel plated, all other parts enameled. Not painted.

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

An Adverse Report on the Fishery Treaty—The Tariff Debate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18.—The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations has this morning decided by a party vote to report the fisheries treaty adversely.

It is understood that this action was taken on a motion by Senator Frye that Senator Edmunds, Chairman of the Sub-committee on Fisheries, be instructed to report the treaty back to the Senate with the opinion of the committee that it ought not to be ratified and that he be requested to secure prompt action as soon as possible upon it.

Sherman Replies to Vest.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18.—The land forfeiture bill went over as unfinished business in the Senate, and at 2 o'clock the Dakota bill came up and Mr. Sherman took the floor in support of the bill. He replied in an impassioned manner to Mr. Vest's allusion to unfair methods in the election of President Hayes. He claimed that every suspicion ever cast upon the integrity of that proceeding had been refuted, and that it stood on history as a matter in which the Republican position could not be impeached.

The Hatfield—McCoy Case.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18.—The Supreme Court of the United States granted the motion to advance on the docket the case of Mahon, appellant, vs. the jailor of Pike County, Ky., and set it for a hearing on Monday next. Until the Supreme decides the Hatfield-McCoy case, which has excited considerable interest in West Virginia and Kentucky.

The Tariff Debate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18.—A caucus of Democratic Representatives has been called to meet in the hall of the House to-night. The object is said to be to limit general debate and to give time to be afforded for amendment to the tariff bill. It is probable that the caucus will provide for numerous evening sessions of the House with a view to the transaction of routine business as appropriation bills, without interference with the discussion of the tariff.

The Lard Investigation.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18.—The House Committee on Agriculture, at its meeting this morning, received the brief of the attorneys on the refined lard investigation, and agreed to take up the bill for final action at its next meeting one week from to-day.

The Riddleberger Resolution.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18.—In the Senate to-day an adverse report was made from the Committee on Foreign Relations on the Riddleberger resolution for the consideration of the fisheries treaty in open session.

Department of Labor Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18.—The House has passed a bill creating a Department of Labor.

DANGEROUSLY BURNED.

A North St. Louis Fire at Which Two People Were Burned.

At 11:50 o'clock to-day an alarm was sounded from box No. 291 for a fire in a two-story frame dwelling, No. 2619 Sullivan avenue, owned by Alexander Drummond, who occupied part of the building. The lower portion of the house was occupied by Elizabeth Simmons and William Loughlin. The fire originated from a defective flue. Mr. and Mrs. Loughlin were severely burned in trying to smother the flames. Both were sent to the Dispensary. Mrs. Simmons' loss by damage to building about $600, insured in Hope Mutual Insurance Company for $750. Mr. Simmons' loss was about $150 on furniture and clothing, while that of the Loughlin family was about $250. Neither were insured. Mrs. Loughlin is in a delicate condition and her injuries are considered dangerous.

Saved From Lynching.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 18.—Monday afternoon, while Dora Aldice, 6 years old, living about a mile from Raleigh, was on her way to a neighbor's, she was assaulted by a negro, Robert Lewis, aged 19 years. He dragged her into an untenanted house about fifty yards from the roadside and left her there. Night came on and she did not return home. The alarm was given and a number of men and women scoured the neighborhood. About 8 o'clock they found the child in a helpless condition. She was taken home and medical aid summoned. She is still in a critical condition, but hopes are entertained of her recovery. The child knew the negro. A posse captured him this morning, several miles away in Wolf River Bottom. Luckily for the negro two of the posse were Deputy Sheriffs and it was with great difficulty they could prevent the other men from killing the brute outright. They brought Lewis to the city at noon and placed him in the County Jail.

Rumor of an M., K. & T. Receiver.

NEW YORK, April 18.—The Stock Exchange is full of rumors that a receiver has been appointed for the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Company, but neither the stockholders' committee nor the officials can give any information regarding it.

THE RUMOR DENIED.

General Manager Clark of the Missouri Pacific said, in answer to a question with regard to the report, that he had heard nothing of it and did not believe it was true, as he was in constant communication with New York and would certainly know if a receiver had been appointed.

Fogarty Signs.

PHILADELPHIA, April 18.—Jimmy Fogarty, the clever outfielder, who has persistently refused to sign a contract with the Philadelphia Club unless given a large increase over last year's salary, to-day signed with the Phillies for the coming season. His salary, it is said, will be $2,500, the amount demanded by him.

The Kansas City-Burlington Row.

KANSAS CITY, April 18.—The striking Burlington men had a long conference with General Superintendent Krantz to-day which resulted in a further disagreement. The company was willing to reinstate Wilson, the discharged switchman, but positively refused to discharge the night yardmaster. The strikers are very sore at the latter official and say that he was to blame when Wilson knocked him down. The business in the Burlington yards is practically at a standstill.

The Brewers' Lockout.

NEWARK, N. J., April 18.—The locked out brewery employes are returning to work under the bosses' rules. The prospect now is that all the breweries will be in operation to-morrow, with a force consisting of about half the old hands and the balance new ones.

Death of Milton P. Cayce.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

FARMINGTON, Mo., April 18.—Milton P. Cayce died at his home in this city at 2:30 p. m. yesterday. He will be buried to-morrow in the family graveyard at this place.

CASUALTIES.

A Fatal Runaway—Heavy Damage by Floods in Minnesota.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

GAINESVILLE, Tex., April 18. — Harrison Hodges, a prominent farmer living on Wilson Creek, Chickasaw Nation, just across Red River, and about fifteen miles from this place, was killed yesterday by a runaway team which he was driving at the time, he being thrown from the wagon against a tree, which crushed his skull and otherwise mangled his body in a most shocking manner. He died instantly.

Heavy Damage by Floods.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 18.—A special to the Evening Wisconsin from Winona, Minn., says the loss to the manufacturing interests of that city by the floods is estimated at $100.000. The Minnesota Boom Company lose 6,000,000 feet of logs, valued at $150,000; making the loss to the lumbering interest about $250,000. The river is four miles wide at that place. At Trempleeau, Wis., while five Indians were endeavoring to drag a canoe across a raft of logs, the logs parted and all were drowned.

At Dodge, Wis., an engine and six cars ran into a washout and were precipitated into thirty feet of water. No lives lost.

At Fremont, Wis., on the Wolf River, in Waupaca County, 10,000,000 feet of logs were released by the collapse of a boom. The logs were carried into Lake Poygan and can be recovered, but at heavy expense.

A Painful Mishap.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

GREENVILLE, Ill., April 18.—This morning as Mrs. V. E. Van Shafer was engaged in washing windows at the residence of Rev. Groves, she accidentally ran her hand and wrist through a pane of glass, one of the arteries of her arm were completely cut in two and she came near bleeding to death. Physicians were immediately called and succeeded in stopping the flow of blood and sewing up the wound. She is pronounced out of danger, though suffering considerably, and her hand will be crippled for life.

Blocked by Ice.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 18.—A Winona (Minn.) special to the Journal says a gale on Lake Pepin yesterday piled the ice up high along the west shore. At King's Cooley the Milwaukee road was covered with ice piled from ten to twenty feet high. A construction train had to dig a cut through it and take the ice away on flat cars. Trains last night were delayed five to eight hours.

FAST HORSES BURNED.

Details of the Terrible Fire at Senator Stanford's Farm.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 18.—Later details of the fire which occurred last night at the Palo Alto farm of Senator Stanford indicate that the fire was incendiary. The following horses were burned to death: California Belle, 4 years old, dam Claribel by Abdallah Star, 2:24; Rexford, 9 years old, dam Rebecca by Gen. Benton, 2.24; Malden, 9 years old, dam My Queen, by Alexander Norman, 2:23; Normaine, yearling, dam Norma by Alexander, 2.17¾; Norman Belle, colts Emma Robertson and Troubadour, Lowell and Howard. Two horses are yet alive, but they are badly burned. They are Palo Alto, dam Dame Winnie by Plant, 2:20¾, and Manzanita, dam Mayflower, by St. Clair, "fastest to date" 2:16.

Clifton Belle, one of the mares that perished, was 5 years old, had a record of 2:24¾ and was valued at $10,000. Rexford was 10 years old, had a record of 2:25 and was about the same sum. Normaine, though only 2 years old, was considered worth $20,000. Last year ago she made the fastest time on record for a yearling—2:31.

It is believed that Azmore and Hinda Rose were in part of the stable which was burned. The latter had a 3-year-old record of 2:19, and $25,000 had been refused for her. She was now 7 years old.

It will be seen that the stable contained some of the most rapid travelers on the turf, and there are not many sportsmen in this country who will not feel a pang of regret at the death of the animals and a shock at the manner in which it was encompassed. A very few minutes before the flames were discovered in the shed, the watchman made his usual rounds and found everything in perfect ordes. He had not reached his room before the presence of the fire was discovered, and almost before the stablemen could raise a cry, the one-story wooden sheds were blazing fiercely. Every person on the farm ran to the barns to try to liberate the racers, but almost before the door could be opened the heat had driven the men back and they were forced to witness the cremation of the horses without being able to lift a hand to save them. Palo Alto, Manzanita and Norman were at one end of the burning building and when the employes saw that no efforts could save the other horses they did what they could toward rescuing the three named. The halter was taken from Palo Alto's neck, and the horse was turned loose and driven from the shed. The glare had frightened the animal to such an extent that he made no attempt to reach the corral and it was only with difficulty that he was restrained from rushing into the flames. A number of other stablemen succeeded in rescuing Normaine and Manzanita. The first named was so badly injured it was considered a mercy to kill her and the fastest yearling in the world was put out of pain. Manzanita, who was burned about the head, is not seriously injured and with care will probably recover. The fire was rapid and an hour after the outbreak of the fire the sheds were in ruins.

DR. GREENE TO WED.

The Third Baptist Pastor Gets Up a Little Surprise Party.

Rev. John P. Greene, D. D., pastor of the Third Baptist Church, and the leading Baptist preacher of the Southwest, has left the city to wed Miss Lizzie Wycoff, who resides near Omaha, Neb. The marriage will take place to-morrow evening. This step of Dr. Greene is a complete surprise to his congregation, only the official members of the flock knowing anything of it. Dr. Greene married a Miss Roach in the East, but she died a few months after marriage, and he has been a widower for six years. He has been generally supposed he would never marry again, although he is only 40 years of age.

ABOUT TOWN.

ABE CONZAL was held for the Grand-jury in $1,500 bond to-day. Conzal is accused of attempting to hold up Fred Drecher.

MR. GEORGE HERMANN, molder, who lives at No. 1249 South Third street, is not the George Hermann whose name figured in the inquest on the body of Adolph Kleintopf, the burglar who was killed on Hickory street.

AN inquest was held to-day on the body of Michael Hynes of 1320 North Eighth street, who died of injuries received Monday night by being struck by an Iron Mountain train between Anna and Dorcas streets. A verdict of accident was rendered.

An Illicit Distillery Raided.

Internal Revenue Agent Wheeler returned to town to-day from Arkansas. At the head of Honey Creek, Newton County, Ark., he succeeded in capturing a still of seventy-gallon capacity and twenty washtubs. The illicit operations were conducted by John Sexton, who was arrested. The agents, in company with the Deputy-Collector of the district, surprised Sexton at dinner and covered him with revolvers. Honey Creek has been the scene of illicit distilling operations for years. At two previous raids by government officers shots were exchanged and two officers were killed.

Found Dead.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

HANNIBAL, Mo., April 18.—Mrs. Robert Rose, an estimable lady of this city, was found dead in her bed this morning at the home of her mother, Mrs. Esther Drake, of the South Side. She had been an invalid for some time, suffering from apoplectic attacks, but retired last evening feeling somewhat better than usual.

Hail in Texas.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 18.—A heavy hailstorm in the southeast portion of this county last night did great damage to fruit and crops.

The Texas Capitol.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 18.—The Legislature will appropriate at least $200,000 to furnish the new capitol.

PYTHIAN KNIGHTS.

Meeting of the Texas Grand Lodge at Ft. Worth To-Day.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

FORT WORTH, Tex., April 18.—The trains on the Texas & Pacific and Missouri Pacific brought in this morning some three hundred Pythian Knights, who were met at the Union Depot by the Fourth Division and bands of music, when the visitors were escorted to the armory up town. The Grand Lodge was in session from 9 to 12:30 and worked chiefly on routine business. The question of locating a permanent headquarters for the Grand lodge in some one city and erecting a grand temple came up, but by a large vote was postponed until the next annual meeting. Six cities had offers for the location, varying in amount from $12,000 to $26,000. The report of Grand Keeper of the Exchequer and the Grand Keeper of Records and seal showing that the order has $11,000 more in the treasury this year than last, and that six lodges have been organized and eight reinstated.

THE STATE CAPITAL.

The Herman Memorial Resolutions—A Timber-Cutter Sentenced.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 18.—In the Supreme Court to-day Hon. Alexander Martin presented memorial resolutions on the death of Hon Samuel Herman which was ordered spread upon the record.

R. E. Esteb was enrolled upon motion of R. F. Walker.

Shannon Douglass, Hon. A. Comingo and Ex-Gov. Crittenden of Kansas City; Williams of Boonville; Judges Hitchcock, McKeegan and Martin and L. A. Stober of St. Louis; Norman Gibbs of Lawrence County and Warden of Osceola, were among the attorneys before the court to-day.

In the United States court but little business was done. David Beatty of Cabool, Texas county, was sentenced to jail for 60 days for cutting timber from Government land.

Arresting the Fighters.

In the arrests under the prize-fighting warrants for the McManus-Flint fight, mentioned elsewhere, the veteran Tom Allen was the first to be caught in the net, as he expressed it. He was arrested a few minutes before noon, just as he was about to sit down to breakfast. The sheriff took him to the Four Courts, where he gave bond for his appearance at Union, Franklin Co., in the court of Justice Stephen Frazee at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning. The bond is in the sum of $500. Next came Jim, or Rusty Evans, who keeps a saloon on Market street. After the bond had been drawn up he said he guessed a mistake had been made, and that Jim Evans of Kansas City, trainer of McManus, was the party wanted. He was held until the matter could be examined, and it could be definitely ascertained whether he was the man wanted, he having been merely a spectator, while Esher was the next to be brought in. He furnished bond immediately. After "Rusty" Evans had been held about an hour Deputy Sheriff Tucker was notified he was not the party wanted, and let him go, Evans promising to be at his saloon if needed.

Tom Kelly and J. J. Tucker were brought in at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and were immediately released on bond.

Union, Mo., the seat of Franklin County, is on the St. Louis, Kansas City & Colorado Road, and to reach there at 10 a. m. to-morrow the men all have to leave on that road at 5 o'clock this evening.

Late Notes in Court.

In the Borchert divorce case Judge Valliant to-day granted a decree to the plaintiff with custody of children. The defendant did not appear.

In the suit of the State of Missouri, Louis Obert against Ed L. Gottschalk and others, the plaintiff to-day took a non-suit in Judge Seddon's court.

Letters of administration were granted this afternoon to Matilda Asgeda on the estate of George Augustin. The estate is valued at $1,500.

The following cases were dismissed this afternoon in the Circuit Court: In the matter of the claim of R. H. Stern as trustee vs. Fifth National Bank Receiver; Kennedy vs. J. A. Wright & Sons.

The suit of G. B. Adreveno against the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association Circuit Court this morning.

An amended answer has been filed in Judge Barclay's Court, in the Lancaster libel suit against the Dispatch Publishing Company.

To-Day's Judgments.

The following judgments were rendered this afternoon in the Circuit Court:

William N. Tivy vs. Charles M. Monroe et al.; judgment for $67.68. William Sioss vs. M. B. O'Reilly et al.; judgment against property for $4,760, and against surety for costs. Land et al. vs. Schaefer et al.; judgment against Schaefer for $160. Mangan et al. vs. Foley; judgment for plaintiff for $700. City vs. A. D. Pasco; judgment for plaintiff for $13.62; James J. Butler vs. James Kelly, judgment for restoration of property or value and $100 damages and costs; Antonio Cangas vs. L. M. Rumsey Manufacturing Company, judgment for plaintiff for $2,187; S. Bowman et al. vs. W. L. G. Thunnell, judgment for plaintiff for $66.19.

Carondelet Jottings.

Mrs. John Grey leaves this evening for an extended visit through the Northwest.

The case against Sarah Barada for disturbing the peace was nolle prossed in the Police Court this morning.

At the meeting of the Odd Fellows' Hall Association last evening Messrs. F. J. Frank, George Ivy and F. J. Poupeny were appointed as committeemen to dispose of all property belonging to the association. The association came to the conclusion to disband.

Dr. Agnew Dead.

NEW YORK, April 18.—Dr. Agnew died this afternoon at 2:45.

The Bridal Bulletin.

The following marriage licenses were granted during the twenty-fourhours ending at 3 p.m. to-day:

Name.	Residence.
John E. Hockensmith	Oreville, Mo
Elenora Parker	6734 South Seventh
Albert Wenzlich	2215 Arsenal
Emma Schall	2901 Arsenal
E. P. Mulligan	1410 North Seventh
Maggie Kearney	1527 North Second
F. A. Peschke	1800 South Eighth
Adele L. Goblet	1800 South Eighth
Wm. Schaefer	1919 Park av
Lena M. Rinne	2349 Market
Fred Schneider	5134 North Broadway
Louisa Mueller	Bottom Road
John R. McDonald	2916 Clark av
Katie D. Heade	2722 Bernard st
Henry B. Lindhorst	1942 Wright st
Dora Meinhardt	2345 Benton st
August Spies, Jr	724 Courtois st
Mary Hoeneman	2908 N. Broadway
Daniel O'Sullivan	306 S. 2d st
Mary Berry	2431 Virginia av
Chas. Kelley	3410 Indiana av.
Annie Fischer	5010 Market av
John Wuhrman	1461 Madison st.
Annie White	814 S. Sixth st.
James Solari	Kansas City, Mo
Louise Cumbo	Crystal City, Mo
Joseph Bryce	408 Montrose ap
Mary Agnes Shield	1433 Grattan st
Max B. Frey	Indianapolis
Sarah Fischbein	Indianapolis

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There were twenty-two cases on the docket of the Second District Police Court this morning. Joseph Sutter was fined $10 for disturbing the peace and the same amount for resisting arrest. James P. Egan, John Barrett and Henry Walters were fined $5 each for disturbing the peace. All other cases were nolle prossed and continued. Joseph Sutter was sent to the Work-house.

Births.

The following births were reported to the Health Department during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. to-day:

Marrt, son of Leo and Mary Delong, April 8; 2838 Pine street.

Annie, daughter of Herbert and Alice Brown, April 14; foot of Dock street.

William, son of William and Kate O'Connell, December 6; Frisco Section-house.

Charles, son of Newton and Mary Dean, March 27; 1207 Old Manchester road.

Charles, son of William and Lizzie Wolff, April 15; 4416 St. Ferdinand street.

Catherine, daughter of Felix and Elizabeth Kistner, April 14, 3615 Kossuth avenue.

Minnie, son of Charles and Hattie Feisel, April 9; 23 South Tenth street.

John, son of John and Lizzie Gibbons, April 9; 1415 Market street.

——, son of Charles and Mary Schopp, April 16; 1313 Lynch street.

——, daughter of Robert and Mary Agnes O'Reilly, April 16; 3411 Pine street.

Reuben, son of Joseph and Ella Cressey, April 6; 1438 Pine st.

——, son of Barney and Magi Petercord, April 17; 2860 Pestalozzi street.

Emilie, daughter of Henry and Mary Saul, April 16; 2109 DeKalb street.

Ada Blanche, daughter of S. and Ada Reardon, April 16; 2134 Morgan avenue.

Willard Frank, son of William and Dora Knobeloch, March 31; 2628 North Twenty-first street.

Mina, daughter of Frank and Sophia Hilbig, April 7, 1127 Wyoming avenue.

Mabel, daughter of Henry and Alberta Lichtermann, April 9; 2207 Bismarck street.

——, daughter of Thomas and Mary Ganley, March 26; 315 Convent street.

Frederick, son of Frederick and Mary Wellfel, April 17; High and Biddle streets.

——, daughter of W. and Annie Kockersperger, April 12; 38 South Twentieth street.

Flora, daughter of John and Flora Bell, April 10; 1843 O'Fallon street.

Borrey, daughter of Adolph and Mina Kurtz, April 9; 709 Farris street.

Thomas, son of Thomas and Lizzie Weaver, April 13; —— Arsenal street.

George, son of Julius and Rebecca Smeich, April 9; —— King's Highway.

Elizabeth, daughter of John and Mary Wenkellar, April 11; —— South Grand avenue.

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Deaths.

The following burial certificates were issued by the Health Department during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. to-day:

James Loomis, 60 years, St. Vincent's Asylum; Bright's disease.

Berdella Graves, 1 month, 1328 Orange avenue; bronchitis.

Louisa K. Older, 2 years, 814 South Fourth street; croup.

Thomas Frank McAlevey, 1 hour, 2232 Lucas avenue; consumption.

John Francis Drysdale, 9 days, 3927 North Florissan avenue; trismus.

Charles Schaefer, 38 years, 1508 Warren street; diphtheria.

Jeannette Davis, 22 years, 1316 North Eleventh street; consumption.

Henry Gray, 13 weeks, St. Ann's Asylum; debility.

Henry Dopp, 1 month, St. Ann's Asylum; convulsions.

Bernhard H. Geers, 60 years, 2224 South Eleventh street; consumption.

Treasie Guenther, 33 years, 215 Brooklyn street; consumption.

John Wilson, 27 years, Missouri Pacific Hospital; pneumonia.

Emily Gilfillin, 22 years, 1318 Spruce street; heart disease.

Joseph M. Hoss, 69 years, Poor-house; senile debility.

Patrick J. Nolan, 35 years, 3501 Clark avenue; consumption.

Herman Eggerman, 1 year, 2296 Gravois avenue; bronchitis.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were recorded during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. to-day:

Isabella C. Edgell et al. to Matilda Lee, 75 ft. on Pine st., near Cabanne av.; warranty deed	28,500	
Thos. H. Cummins and wife to William Wilhelmy, 25 ft. on Buchanan st., city block 1150; warranty deed	2,700	
Thos. Manning and wife to Philomena A. Pickel, 57 ft. 3 in. on Delmar av.; city block 4263; warranty deed	5,767	
Kittie C. Payne et al. trustee et al. to R. M. Nichols, 57 ft. 8 in. on St. Ferdinand st.; warranty deed	500	
R. M. Nichols and wife to W. H. Payne and wife, 57 ft. 8 in. on St. Ferdinand st.; agreement and warranty deed	500	
Flora R. Haydock to James F. Holden, 60 ft. on Odell av., city block 4068; warranty deed	1,500	
John Soler and wife to George Goz, Sr., 126 ft 6¼ in. on St. Louis av., city block 1002; warranty deed	5,000	
Jere W. Clemens to Frank Ebbert, 28 ft. on Howard st., city block 2317; warranty deed	5,000	
Harriet Papin to Bernhart Sebastian, 31 ft. on Columbus st., city block 732; warranty deed	930	
Charles Gibson and wife to Charles E. Gibson 71 ft. 4 in. on King's highway, U. S. Survey 2424; lease, etc., and warranty deed	50	
Robert J. Scherbil et al to Rosa Tauber, 3 feet on Elm street, city block 134; warranty deed	300	
Isabella S. Beaver et al. to Amalia Boettger 27 ft. 6 in. on Nebraska av., city block 4476; warranty deed	525	
Franklin B. Perry and wife to Fred S. Nieman and wife, 25 ft. on Fall av., city block 1873; warranty deed	500	
Alice Niemann et al. to Franklin B. Perry, 25 feet on Fall av., city block 1873; warranty deed	500	
Mary A. Bicknell et al. to Patrick McCormack, 50 ft. on Whittier st., city block 3501; warranty deed	580	
Charles A. Bosse and wife to Frederick Bressler, 25 ft. on Fairfax av., city block 4564; warranty deed	2,500	
Mariano Rivera and wife to John Aubrichon, 28 ft. on Fairfax av., city block 4564; warranty deed	2,200	
George Scherer and wife to John M. Spitznagel, 67 ft. 8 in., Elliot av., city block 980; warranty deed	3,600	
Orange F. Green and wife to Jas. E. Clark, 231 ft. 11½ in. on Pine street, city block 905; warranty deed	35,000	

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MARRIED.

MARTIN—MILLEN.—At Alton, Ill., April 18, by the Rev. L. A. Abbott, Mr. MARTIN, JR., to Miss LILY R. MILLEN.

MONEY.

NEW YORK, April 18, 11 a. m.—The stock market was again active and strong at opening this morning, the first sales being made at advances over last night's figures of from ⅛ to ½ per cent. This advantage was further increased in the early trading from ¼ to ⅝ per cent, the gains in the active stocks being very uniform and made without special feature of any kind being developed. After the end of the first half hour, however, the market became much less active, and prices began to yield immediately. Most of the active stocks soon retired to below the opening figures, and Kansas & Texas showed marked weakness, dropping 1½ per cent on an increased business. Missouri Pacific also displayed considerable weakness, but excepting the stock above mentioned no one lost more than a fraction. There was no further change in the market, and at 11 o'clock it was quiet and weak at fractions below first prices. Reading, St. Paul and Lackawannawere the most active stocks, but there was a fair business in all the active list.

Noon.—Money is easy at 1@2 per cent. Bar silver 93½. Soon after 11 o'clock the stock market became devoid of all expression, drifting back into the dull and motionless state which has so lately been its normal condition. The limited business done was well distributed, but the movements were confined to the narrowest boundaries and the final changes for the hour were entirely insignificant. At noon market was dull and steady at or about the lowest prices of the morning.

3 p. m.—The stock market closed dull and steady at about opening prices.

BOSTON, April 18.—Mexican fours, 69@70; scrip, 99@99½. Stocks: Atchison, 14½@14⅝; Mexican, 1st, 87½@88; Bell Telephone, 2.39@2.40; Huron, 4.94.

LIVERPOOL, April 17, 3:30 p. m.—Close.—Pork—Holders offer freely; prime mess, Eastern, 97s 6d; dull; do Western, 62s 6d, steady. Lard—Holders offer moderately; spot, April, May and June, 40s, dull. Wheat—Holders offer sparingly; new No. 2 winter, 6s 8½d, steady; do spring, 6s 7½d, steady. Flour—Holders offer moderately at 9s, dull. Corn—Holders offer sparingly; spot & April, steady; April, 5s 2¾d, steady; May, 4s 11d, dull; June, 4s 9d, dull. 4 p. m.—Consols closed at 99 11-16 for both money and the account. U. S. bonds, 4s, 127; do 4½s, 109½; A. & G. W. firsts, 37; Canadian Pacific, 60⅜; Erie, 25½; do seconds, 98¾; Illinois Central, 122½; Mexican ordinary, 49⅜; St. Paul, common, 73⅜; New York Central, 108; Pennsylvania, 56; Reading, 30; Mexican Central, 14½.

New York Stock Quotations.

Corrected daily by Matthews & Whitaker, bankers and brokers, 121 N. 3d st., St. Louis, Mo.

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Canada Southern	49⅜	49⅝	49	49¼
Canadian Pacific	59	.....	.....	59
Central New Jersey	81½	82⅜	81½	81⅞
Central Pacific	29⅝	.....	.....	29⅝
Chi., St. P., M. & O.	37	37½	36⅞	36⅞
do pfd.	106	106⅜	106	106⅜
C. R. I. & P.	111⅝	111⅝	111	111
C. B. & Q.	119½	119⅝	119	119
C., M. & St. P.	71¾	72⅜	71⅝	71⅝
C. & N. W. com.	108	108⅜	107½	107½
C. & N. W. pfd.	138⅜	139	138½	138½
Del., Lack. & W.	128⅜	128⅝	128	128⅝
Del. & Hudson	108¼	108¾	107½	107⅝
Den. & Rio Grande	.....	.....	.....	.....
East Tenn. com	.....	.....	.....	.....
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
Erie com	24⅜	25	24⅜	24⅜
do pfd	57	.....	.....	57
do 2d mtg bonds	97	.....	.....	97
Ft. W. & Den	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hocking Valley	.....	.....	.....	.....
Houston & Texas	.....	.....	.....	.....
Illinois Central	119⅜	.....	.....	119⅜
Ind., B. & W.	11¾	.....	.....	11¾
Lake Shore	89⅝	90	89⅜	89⅝
Louisville & Nashville	54⅞	55¼	54⅝	55
Michigan Central	78	78⅜	78	78⅛
Missouri Pacific	73⅜	73⅝	72	72⅛
Mo., Kan. & Texas	13¾	13¾	11¾	12⅜
Mobile & Ohio	.....	.....	.....	.....
Manhattan Elevated	85⅜	86¼	85¾	86¼
New York & New England	36⅝	37	36⅝	36⅝
New York Central	105¾	.....	.....	105¾
Norfolk & Western com	17	17	16½	16½
do do pfd	45¾	45⅝	44⅜	44⅜
Northern Pacific com	.....	.....	.....	.....
do pfd	45½	.....	.....	45½
Ohio Southern	21	.....	.....	21
Oregon & Transcontinental	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜
Or. Nav. & Trans. Co	90½	90½	89½	89⅝
Ohio & Mississippi com	20⅛	.....	.....	20⅛
Pacific Mail	32⅜	33	32⅜	32⅜
Peoria, Decatur & Evansville	.....	.....	.....	.....
Philadelphia & Reading	58⅜	59½	58⅜	58⅝
Pullman Palace Car	141½	142	141½	142
Richmond Terminal	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Paul & Duluth com	.....	.....	.....	.....
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. L. & San F. com	.....	.....	.....	.....
do 1st pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
do 2d pfd	67⅛	67⅜	67¼	67⅜
St. P., Minn. & Man	105	.....	.....	105
Texas & Pacific	24	24	23½	23⅝
Union Pacific	53⅜	53⅝	52⅝	53¼
Wabash, St. L. & P.	.....	.....	.....	.....
do do pfd	23½	.....	.....	23½
Western Union Tel. Co	74⅜	74⅝	74	74
West Shore bonds	102¾	102⅞	102⅜	102⅜

COMMERCIAL.

Closing Prices—3 P. M.

Reported daily by S. W. COBB & CO., 317 and 319 Chamber of Commerce, St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS:

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
May	84⅛	84⅝	82⅞	83⅛
June	85⅛	84⅞	83¼	83⅜
July	83⅝@⅞	84⅛	82⅝	82⅝@⅞
Aug	83½	84⅛	.....	82⅝
Sept.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nov	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dec	87⅛	87⅜	85⅞	86⅛
CORN.				
May	51⅞	52⅛	51	51⅛
June	51¾	51⅞	50¾	50¾ n
July	51¾	52⅛	50¾	50¾@⅞
Aug	51½	51¾	51¼	51¼ a
Sept.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Year	.....	.....	.....	41 a
OATS.				
May	32⅜	31⅞	31¼	31½ b
June	32½	32	32	.....

CHICAGO:

WHEAT.				
May	81⅜	82	80¼	80½
July	83¾	84	82	82⅝
CORN.				
May	56⅝@¾	57 @⅛	55¾	55⅞@56
July	55⅝	56⅜	54¾	55⅜ a
OATS.				
May	32⅞	33	32¼	32¾
July	32¾	33⅛	31⅝	32¼
PORK.				
May	14.17	14.20	13.97	14.02 b
June	14.15	14.20	14.00	14.05 b
LARD.				
May	7.70	7.77	7.67	7.77 a

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ADOPTED THE RESOLUTION.

Benfield Promoted—Dr. Stevens Convicted—Fatal Injuries—Illinois Items.

CHICAGO, April 18.—The Presbytery, after the discussion referred to yesterday in the POST-DISPATCH on the subject of union with the Southern Church, adopted a resolution to the effect that the Presbytery favored reunion with the Southern Church on the basis of common standard pure and simple. The concluding portion, "and the equal right of all disciples of Christ in every court of Christ's Church," was tabled.

Inspector Bonfield, who led the police in the Haymarket riot of the Anarchists, has been promoted chief of the city detective service.

ELIZABETHTOWN, April 18.—The jury in the case of Dr. G. W. Stevens, on trial for the murder of Mrs. Sarah Cook last Christmas Eve, brought in a verdict of guilty and he was sentenced to the penitentiary for one year. It was a case of abortion.

PEORIA, April 18.—August Kirchoff, a lad of 17, died last night from injuries received at the brewery fire on Monday. One of the walls fell upon him.

MARSHALL, April 18.—Joseph Jones of Marshinsville has entered suit for $10,000 damages against the Vandalia Railroad Company on account of personal injuries sustained by being run down in a buggy at a crossing. He had a very narrow escape.

GOLCONDA, April 18.—Mrs. Mary Chambliss, wife of a young farmer, was adjudged insane by the County Court yesterday. She had made an attempt to commit suicide.

MURPHYSBORO, April 18.—The work of selecting a jury for the Hundley trial was completed last evening, and the opening statements were made by counsel.

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ALL QUIT WORK.

The Josephite Mormons—Death of Milton P. Cayce—Missouri Matters.

KANSAS CITY, April 18.—The Burlington switchmen in the yards here quit work yesterday afternoon because the Superintendent refused to reinstate a man who had assaulted the night yard-master.

INDEPENDENCE, April 18.—The thirtieth annual conference of the Josephite Mormons adjourned yesterday afternoon. They had been in session since the 5th inst. The next conference will be held at St. Joe in April, 1889.

FARMINGTON, April 18.—Milton P. Cayce, a resident for fifty years and ex-Sheriff, Collector and Treasurer of the county, died yesterday. Congressman Clardy, his son-in-law, arrived from Washington last evening.

MONTGOMERY, April 18.—Hamp Looker, a Mexican veteran and a member of Sterling Price's regiment of Missouri Volunteers, died last evening at his home near Gamma.

MACON, April 18.—The Post-office store at Bevier was burglarized yesterday. The mail was not touched.

"I Feel as if I Could Not Get One Foot Before the Other."

How often we hear this expression used in the first warm days of spring. A glass of *Nicholson's Liquid Bread* after each meal will remedy this. Try it. Grocers and druggists supply it.

BIG REWARD FOR A MURDERER.

Capt. Rector Attempts Suicide—Eloped With a Cattleman—Texas Topics.

BROWNSVILLE, April 18.—Capt. Kennedy has telegraphed from New York offering a reward of $1,000 for the arrest of Jose Esparza, who shot and killed his son. He is hiding in Matamoras.

EL PASO, April 18.—Capt. W. C. Rector, who killed his son-in-law, John W. Kohler last week, committed suicide yesterday afternoon by cutting his throat. Bail had been obtained for him and he had returned home. The thirty-fifth annual conclave of the Knights Templar Grand Commandery of the State opened here yesterday afternoon. There is a large attendance.

SAN ANTONIO, April 18.—An elopement sensation is furnished from Carrizo Springs, Dimmit County. The proprietress of a hotel, Sallie Fortner, ran off to Laredo with Jacob English, a cattleman whose wife recently obtained a divorce from him.

GAINESVILLE, April 18.—A. R. Smith, a grocer, made an assignment last evening for the benefit of creditors.

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CAFE OAKES established for the convenience of ladies while down town shopping. All the delicacies of the season are served in first-class style and at popular prices. 305, North Broadway.

Nic Schneider a Free Man.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 18.—"Nic" Schneider, the once famous boiler-maker, who cut a very prominent figure in the trial of the "Omnibus" case against the county boodle Commissioners, is again a free man. Judge Tuley yesterday discharged the receiver who took charge of Schneider's assets over a year ago on behalf of the boiler-maker's creditors, the various claims against him being settled by compromise or some other satisfactory way. "Nic" celebrated the event by beginning a suit against the County of Cook to recover $10,000 damages for labor done and materials furnished to the county. He claims that after all the differences over his accounts are adjusted the county owes him a little over $7,000.

The City Circulation of the POST-DISPATCH is larger than that of any other two papers.

A Lawyer in Trouble.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

MOBERLY, Mo., April 17.—Wm. Morrissey, who was City Attorney here last year, and a young tough named Bud Farmer were arrested this morning on a charge of assault and attempt at highway robbery committed upon a young man named Wormach, who came here from Dalton, Mo., and was going to Des Moines, Io.

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DOINGS IN THE COURTS.

THE M'DOWELL MAINTENANCE CASE TO BE SETTLED WITHOUT A TRIAL.

Announcement of Counsel in Judge Lubke's Court To-Day—A Decision Upon Real Estate Agents' Commissions—Opinions Handed Down by Judge Barclay—Damage Suits Before Juries Under the Dome—The Bolte Charitable Bequests—Mamie Flynn's Guardianship.

The trial of the maintenance case of Mrs. May McDowell against Brandt McDowell was set for to-day in court No. 1 before Judge Lubke. At the motion hour Mrs. McDowell's attorneys, Taylor & Pollard and Rt. McLaran, appeared in court and sat in one corner in whispered consultation with the attorneys of Mr. McDowell, Judge John Wickham and ft. J. Bliss. There were no witnesses in attendance and it was clear that the trial would not be reached. At length the Court in calling over the docket for the day named the case and paused. Mr. Taylor stepped forward and said: "In this case, if the Court pleases, arrangements are in progress looking to a settlement without a trial and it will be convenient if the Court will lay it over say until the 27th of the present month."

Judge Wickham said: "I do not think that would give us time enough to complete our arrangements for settlement. A great deal of correspondence is involved and the time would be too short."

Mr. Taylor: "I am leaving the city at the close of the month for some little time, and would like to dispose of this matter myself, being familiar with all the facts in it."

The Court: "Well, the case can be reset at the foot of the default docket on the 22d of May. That will give ample time for completing arrangements and the matter can then be disposed of."

Important to Real Estate Agents.

Judge Barclay to-day rendered an interesting decision in the Bowman vs. Thunnell case. The plaintiff is a real estate agent and he effected an agreement for sale to a third party of some property belonging to the defendant. A part of the consideration was to be other property to be taken by the defendant at an agreed valuation. The question presented was whether a customer is liable to a real estate agent for commissions where the contract of sale between the purchaser and the agent for the seller is verbal only and not reduced to writing, there being no evidence of any repudiation of or objection to the contract on that account by the proposed purchaser. All contracts for sale of real estate according to the terms of the statute of frauds must be reduced to writing but it has always been permissible to waive the terms of that statute and unless it is set up and relied upon as a defense it is considered waived.

If the proposed purchaser on the facts here shown made no objection on the ground that the contract was verbal, the seller in an action by the agent for his commission cannot successfully interpose that objection. If the purchaser was willing to proceed to execute the contract as a valid one and thereby waived the objection to its verbal form, the purchaser cannot take advantage of his own wrong by refusing to execute and refusing to pay commissions for making the very contract which the seller desired made.

The agent in this case did the service he was engaged to do, and so far as appears from the evidence the contract he made was not objected to by the adverse party, but would have been willingly performed by the latter. There will be judgment in favor of the plaintiff for $66.19 and costs.

The Bolte Bequests.

Letters of administration were granted to-day to Frederick S. Bolte on the estate of Anna W. Bolte. The estate is valued at $15,000. The will provides the following bequests: German Protestant Orphans' Home, $4,000; Good Samaritan Hospital, $300; German Evangelical Theological Seminary, $200; German Evangelical Teachers' Seminary, Elmhurst, $100. The real estate is left to the son, Frederick, also an interest in the stove business on Broadway. The household effects are left to the daughter, Emma. The daughter also receives $4,000 in cash and the grand-daughter $500. The niece, Anna Gratmann, in St. Louis County receives a bequest of $500. The son, Frederick, is appointed executor without bond.

Judge Barclay's Decisions.

Judge Barclay to-day rendered the following decisions in cases taken under advisement:

Bowman vs. Thunnell, judgment for plaintiff for $66.19.

Cangas vs. Rumsey Manufacturing Company, judgment for plaintiff for $2,187.

Philibert vs. Farnum, motion to require new parties brought in as defendants overruled.

Butler vs. Kelly, judgment for defendant for return of property or value and 1 cent damages and costs.

City vs. Fassett, judgment against property for $13.62.

Mangan vs. Foley, motion for new trial overruled.

Cared For at a Convent.

The jury inquiry in the Probate Court for the purpose of annulling the authority of Mrs. Flynn over her little daughter Mamie was adjourned until to-day. When the case was called up, however, it was intimated that no jury would be required, the mother having withdrawn all opposition to the care and custody of the girl at the Convent of the Good Shepherd. Upon the facts in the case being made known through the criminal proceedings at the Four Courts the Sisters kindly manifested an interest in the child, and Mr. A. J. P. Garesche at once moved gratuitously in the matter, with the view of removing her from immoral surroundings. She is now cared for at that institution, and will probably remain there until she attains her majority.

Injured on the Tracks.

The damage suit of Francis Hanlon against the Missouri Pacific Railroad Company is progressing before a jury to-day in Judge Dillon's court. This is a claim for personal injuries sustained on the tracks at the Levee and Gratiot street. The plaintiff was in a wagon which was run down by a Missouri Pacific locomotive. He asks for $10,000 damages.

The Back-Tax Docket.

The back-tax docket will be called in Judge Dillon's court No. 4 on Saturday morning.

The D'Arcy Estate.

Letters of administration have been granted to Hattie L. D'Arcy on the estate of the late Henry I. D'Arcy. The estate is valued at $4,000.

The Locust Street Accident.

A jury was selected to-day in Judge Lubke's court for trial of the damage suit of Catherine Sullivan against Graham & Peters. The plaintiff is the widow of Jeremiah Sullivan, who was killed at Fourth and Locust streets by a wagon belonging to the firm of Graham & Peters. He was engaged at the time in mopping a street car and the wagon struck the handle of the mop, hurling him with great violence to the ground.

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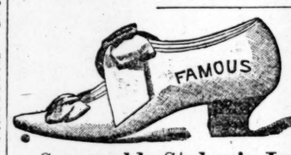

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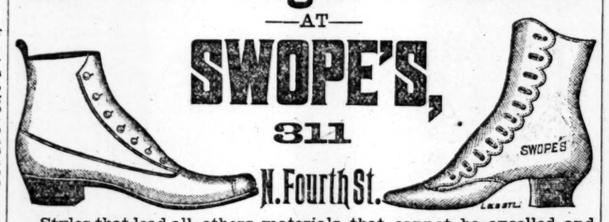

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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Detroit (Mich.) butchers have delared a boycott on Chicago dressed beef.

The Canadian Commons passed the fisheries treaty and the bill was sent to the Senate.

Angus Prerait, living at Gibson Station, N. C., was called to his door and shot by an unknown assassin.

In a sham battle at Pensacola, Fla., between Marines and Blue Jackets six men were wounded by pieces of catridges.

Benjamin Hopkins, ex-Cashier of the Fiedelity National Bank, was taken from Cincinnati to the penitentiary to-day.

The depot of the Cincinnati, Wabash & Michigan Railway at Urbana, Ind., was blown up and totally demolished last night.

A negro prisoner in the Plymouth (N. C.) jail tried to burn his way out, but burned down the whole building and failed to make his escape.

An extensive investment company to be known as the Union Banking Company was organized at Aberdeen, Dak., with a capital of $5,000,000.

Napoleon B. Gester is to hang at Lebanon, Tenn., next Friday for the murder of J. T. Lane at that place some time ago.

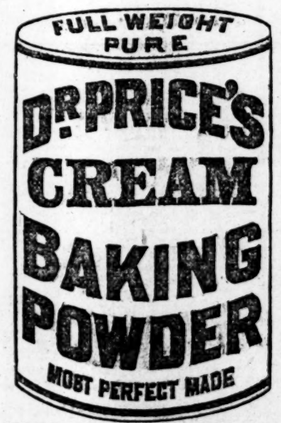
A man named James Meyers was arrested at Wichita, Kan., just as he was shipping a package of stolen goods by express. After his arrest he informed on five of his gang.

After Mills' big speech in the House yesterday Kelley of Pennsylvania, the protection warhorse, addressed the House for two hours, after which the debate was adjourned.

Three men named Provost, and a man named Demarcelle met at the polls at Jeanereatte, La., and quarreled, which resulted in the death of Nicholas and L. F. Provost.

John Harris, the richest man in Virgo County, Ind., cut his throat and then hanged himself, but did not succeed in killing himself. Overzeal in religion is given as the cause of the deed.

In the Senate yesterday the Dakota bill was briefly discussed. The Democrats being accused of keeping Dakota out of the Union because they were afraid the three electoral votes would go Republican, Senator Vest said they wouldn't need them in 1888, as Grover Cleveland would be overwhelmingly elected.



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Granulated ..... 14 lbs for $1.00
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Choice Yellow ..... 18 lbs for $1.00

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Dark Fancy Rio ..... 5 lbs for $1 00
Golden Rio ..... 5 lbs for $1 00
Choice Rio ..... 6 lbs for $1 00
Old Government Java ..... 4 lbs for $1 00
Mocha ..... 3½ lbs for $1 00

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Golden Rio ..... 4 lbs for $1 00
Choice Rio ..... 5½ lbs for $1 00
Choice Java ..... 4 lbs for $1 00
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Good Japan Tea, per pound 25c

California Hams.
Price, 9c per pound.

Whittaker's Meats.

Star Hams ..... Per lb, 13c
S. C. Shoulders ..... Per lb, 8c
Rolled Boneless Shoulders ..... Per lb, 9c
Boneless Breakfast Bacon ..... Per lb, 12c
Whittaker's 5-lb tin pails, Pure Leaf Lard ..... Each, 50c
10-lb pails 95c
Armour's s. c. Hams ..... Per lb, 11½c
Boneless Hams ..... Per lb, 10½c
Sugar-cured Shoulders ..... per lb, 7½c
Sugar-cured Breakfast Bacon ..... per lb, 11c
Pickled Pig's feet ..... 5 for 10c
Leaf Lard ..... 5 lbs for 25c
14 fresh Eggs 15c

BUTTER.

Finest Creamery ..... per lb, 30c
Finest Dairy ..... per lb, 25c
Country Roll ..... per lb, 20c

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*Except Sunday; †Daily; ‡Except Saturday; §Except Monday; ¶Monday.

	Depart.	Arrive.
CHICAGO, ALTON & ST. LOUIS RAILROAD.		
Chicago Express Mail	* 8:30 am	† 7:25 pm
Kansas City Mail	† 8:45 am	† 6:00 pm
Through Chicago Express	* 4:50 pm	† 10:35 am
Jacksonville Accommodation	† 6:00 pm	* 2:00 pm
Chicago Lightning Express	† 7:55 pm	† 7:35 am
Kansas City Night Express	8:00 pm	† 7:15 am
CAIRO SHORT LINE RAILROAD.		
New Orleans Fast Line	† 7:25 pm	† 8:30 pm
Memphis Express	† 7:25 pm	† 8:10 am
Cairo, Tenn. & Texas Ex. daily	† 7:30 am	† 8:30 pm
El. & Parker City Ex., ex. Sund.	* 4:20 pm	*12:00 m
ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD (Chicago Line).		
Day Express	* 9:00 am	† 7:30 pm
Chicago Express	† 8:00 pm	† 7:00 am
OHIO & MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY. 10 hours to Chi. & Lou. 4 Solid trains. Sleepers to Cin., Lou., Wash., Balt., Phil. and New York.		
Cincinnati & Louisville Accom.	* 6:25 am	* 7:22pm
Cin'ti, Louisville, Wash., Balt., Phil. & New York	† 8:00 am	† 6:40pm
Cincinnati Express	† 7:00 pm	† 7:20 am
Cin'ti, Louisville, Wash., Balt., Phil. & New York	† 8:00 pm	† 7:45 am
Salem Accommodation	5:15 pm	8:45 am
CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY RAILROAD.		
St. Paul, Dubuque, Omaha and Denver Express	† 8:30 am	† 5:20pm
La Crosse, Omaha, Lincoln and Denver Express	† 8:30 pm	† 6.50am
INDIANAPOLIS & ST. LOUIS (BEE LINE.) Only line landing passengers in Grand Central Depot, New York. No change of cars.		
Day Express	† 7:35 am	† 6:00 pm
New York and Cincinnati Limited Express	† 8:00 am	† 7:40 pm
Mattoon Accommodation	* 4:25 pm	*10:35 am
New York, Boston & Cincinnati Express	† 6:30 pm	† 7:30 am
Double daily parlor and sleeping-car service to Cincinnati.		
WABASH RAILWAY.		
Chicago Local Mail	* 7:05 am	* 7:25 pm
Chicago Fast Express	* 7:55 am	* 6:15 pm
New York Fast Express	† 7:55 am	† 6:15 pm
Decatur and Jacksonville Accommodation	* 4:45 pm	*11:00 am
New York and Boston Fast Exp	† 7:25 pm	† 7:45 am
Chicago Night Express	† 8:10 pm	† 7:25 am
Peoria Night Express	† 8:10 pm	† 7:25 am
WABASH WESTERN RAILWAY.		
Through Mail and Express	† 8:25 am	† 6:15 pm
Kansas City, St. Joe and St. Paul Fast Line	* 9:00 am	* 7:10 pm
Montgomery accommodation	* 5:00 pm	* 11:55 am
Omaha, Des Moines and St. Paul Express	† 8:25 pm	† 6:50 am
Kansas City and St. Joseph Express	† 8:35 pm	† 6:40 am
ST. LOUIS & SAN FRANCISCO RAILWAY.		
Through Mail	† 8:15 am	† 6:00 pm
Through Express	† 8:15 pm	† 6:30 am
LOUISVILLE, EVANSVILLE & ST. LOUIS R. R. (The Air Line.)		
Louisville Day Express	† 7:20 am	† 8:00 am
Louisville Night Express	† 7:20 pm	† 7:25 pm
LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE RAILROAD.		
Mt. Vernon Accommodation		† 9:00 am
Southern Fast Mail	† 7:20 am	† 8:00 pm
Mt. Vernon Accommodation	† 5:00 pm	
Bellevville Accommodation	† 9:45 am	† 12:05 pm
Southern Fast Line	† 7:20 pm	† 7:35 am
ST. LOUIS, KEOKUK & NORTHWESTERN RAILWAY.		
St. Paul, Omaha, Denver and Lincoln Express	9:20 am	* 6:00 pm
Spirit Lake, Omaha, Cedar Rapids and Denver Express	† 8:15 pm	† 6:30 am
MOBILE & OHIO RAILROAD.		
New Orleans and Florida Express	† 9:00 pm	† 7:25 am
Cairo, Chester and Jackson exp	† 7:40 am	† 7:00 pm
VANDALIA LINE.		
Indianapolis Acc. exc. Sunday	7:15 am	5:00 pm
Fast Line, daily	9:00 am	7:30 pm
Chicago Express, exc. Sunday	9:00 am	7:30 pm
N. Y., Balt. & Wash. Exp. daily	8:00 pm	7:00 am
Chicago Night Express, daily	8:00 pm	7:00 am
Effingham Accom. exc. Sunday	5:30 pm	8:00 am
Cincin. Day Exp., exc. Sunday	7:15 am	7:30 pm
Cincin. Night Exp., daily	7:30 pm	7:00 am
ST. LOUIS & HANNIBAL.		
Bowling Green and Hannibal	† 5:00 pm	
Local Accommodation	† 5:25 pm	
St. Charles and St. Louis Mail and Express		†11:55 am
ILLINOIS & ST. LOUIS R. R.	A. M.	A. M. / P. M. / P. M.
Leave Union Depot	8:20	11:00 / 2:50 / 4:45
Arrive at Belleville	9:15	11:55 / 3:45 / 5:40
Leave Belleville	7:05	9:48 / 1:40 / 4:15
Arr. Union Depot	8:00	10:40 / 2:35 / 5:10

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